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Apples Apples

We will have this week the famous
O. K. Brand Apples in Crates and
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We handle Saskatoon Bread—None Better.
Our **PRICES** are always **LOWER**

The Chinook Trading Co.
Dealers in Meats and Groceries
MONTGOMERY & HINDS

Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Jacques
were visitors in Youngstown last
Sunday.

Mrs. R. Vanhook entertained a
few lady friends at afternoon tea
last Friday.

A number of the members of
the Chinook Masonic Lodge at-
tended a district meeting of the
Lodge held in Hanna last Mon-
day.

The Service Garage received a
car load of Ford cars and trucks
this week.

Earl Thorsrud, of Kinmundy,
shipped a car of settlers effects
to Cudworth, Sask., on Tuesday,
where he has rented a farm.

Win. Forgie, of Rearville, left
on Tuesday for Drumheller where
he will spend the winter.

G. R. Robison, of Big Spring,
shipped a car load of cattle to
Calgary this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Beytebiere,
of Rearville, left on Tuesday for
Montreal.

Mr. George Serical and four
sons left this week for Victoria,
B.C.

Leonard Cooley and Bert Smith
motored to Carstairs on Sunday,
returning Tuesday.

Mrs. E. Jacques, Mrs. J. Mont-
gomery and Mrs. H. Smith visited
on Tuesday at the home of Mrs.
J. W. Lawrence.

Chesterfield School re-opened
on Monday after a few weeks
holiday for harvest and threshing.

J. P. Watson and Lorne Proud-
foot attended the Acadia Federal
Convention held in Hanna last
Tuesday.

Under ideal weather conditions
threshing operations are drawing
to a completion in Southern Al-
berta, and are well underway in
Central and Northern Alberta,
with the prospect that the end of
the present month will see most
of the fields cleaned up.

J. M. Davis shipped a car load
of cattle to Calgary on Tuesday.

Details of special train service,
via Canadian National Railways,
to the ship's side, Halifax, for Old
Country Christmas sailings, are
announced elsewhere in this issue.
There will be a big demand for
these Christmas sailings and those
contemplating a trip to the Old
Country should book now with
the local agent of the Canadian
National Railways, who represents
all steamship lines and who will
be pleased to make complete ar-
rangements for your trip.

J. L. Carter, auctioneer, will sell
by public auction, the farm stock,
implements, etc., belonging to
Mrs. M. Squire, on the East Half
of Section 4-29-8, w. 4, 6 miles
west of Chinook, on Monday,
November 3. Sale starts at one
o'clock. See posters for full par-
ticulars.

Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Smith and Mrs.
Niven visited at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. J. W. Lawrence last Fri-
day.

Fire Prevention

The time of the year has arrived
when every precaution should be
taken to prevent fires. Care should
be taken to have your stove pipes
cleaned and all fire traps removed.
Rubbish and paper which has ac-
cumulated in the basement re-
moved. Oily rags and waste
should not lie in heaps in the
workshop, but should be destroyed.
Owners of property should take
every precaution and remove any-
thing which is likely to cause
combustion. The damage done
by fire in Canada every year is
appalling, and it behoves every
good citizen to do his part in re-
moving anything which may prove
a fire trap.

Halloween Pranks

Halloween will soon be here
again. The night of nights when
real live ghosts glide stealthily
about and play mischievous tricks
and jokes. Everybody enjoys a
good joke. But the past years
these jokes have become a menace
to the public. Halloween jokes
have lost their real fun for the
reason that so many people have
resorted to the destroying of prop-
erty to celebrate this eventful
night. The Chinook Village
Council have decided to punish
the guilty parties who seek to
celebrate Halloween by willfully
destroying property. We heartily
endorse the Council's action in
this matter, and think that it is
time that such practical joking
should be stopped. Nobody ob-
jects to harmless and innocent
fun, but when it comes to wantonly
destroying property, it is past
a joke and becomes a menace to
the public.

OBITUARY

We regret to announce the
death of Mrs. N. Anderson, of
Heathdale, who passed away on
Sunday morning at the home of
her daughter Mrs. E. Roy, south
of Youngstown. The deceased
was 54 years of age, and leaves to
mourn her loss her husband and
eight children, four boys and four
girls.

The funeral took place on Mon-
day afternoon at Youngstown
cemetery. Rev. Mr. Marshall
officiating.

Mrs. W. C. Tait had the mis-
fortune to break her arm while
cranking a car last Friday. She
was taken to Cereal where she was
attended by Dr. Esler.

A dance was held in the Little
Gem School last Friday for the
purpose of raising funds to pur-
chase a piano. Those who at-
tended from Chinook report a
good time.

Mrs. M. Good, of Didsbury,
is visiting at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. W. A. Cruickshank.

Messrs. R. Whelan and R. J.
McLean plan to leave to-day for
Drumheller.

For Sale at a Bargain—Ford
Touring car with starter and
Ford Coupe 1923 model. The
Service Garage, Chinook.

A Snap in Grapes

Nice Sweet Concord

Owing to the Fruit House being overloaded with
Grapes they shipped us a surplus amount of them with-
out our knowledge. We are going to stuff these out
cheap and wish to give our customers the advantage of
same.

First Quality Concord Grapes to unload at
75 Cents

Don't forget that we have in all our

Winter Stock of Dry Goods

Mackinaw Coats, Sheep Lined Coats, Leather Vests
Fur Coats, Stanfield's Underwear, Hewson's
Underwear, Pullover Sweaters, Coat
Sweaters, and V Neck Sweater Coats
Also Lots of Good

Warm Footwear

Consisting of Felt Shoes, Wangan's, Sheep Lined Socks
Overshoes, Wool Socks, Etc.

Special Bargains in Clearing Lines

A few Serge Dresses at 25 per cent. Reduction

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and our prices are right.

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Chinook

Alberta

Dr. J. ESLER

Physician and Surgeon

Hospital in Connection

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Dr. T. F. Holt,

Dentist, of Oyen,

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Every THURSDAY.

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Our large and varied stock of Winter Apples
have arrived. They are all beautiful stock.

Prices from \$2.20 Up

Get your supply early because they will advance in price

We also have a final shipment of

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Prices—75 cts., \$1.00 and \$1.35 Respectively

Fresh Shipment of Moirs Chocolates in To-day

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Acadia Produce Co.

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CHINOOK

GEO. E. AITKEN
ALTA

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Of the Right China

The beauty and charm of your dining room can
be completely marred by "wrong china". It goes with-
out saying china must harmonize. The brittle, transi-
ent, egg shell china has given place to the permanent
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Our stock of China offers some lovely designs
from which to choose from, and all are moderately priced

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DRUGGIST

CHINOOK

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spective Ford purchaser than reams of adver-
tising. The Ford Motor Company of Canada,
wants this users experience made known to
every prospective purchaser of a motor car.
Hence the Farmer Ford Owners' Contest,—
the details of which may be had from your
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1st Prize Tudor Sedan
(All freight and taxes and license paid)

2nd Prize Fordson Tractor
(Complete with fenders and belt pulley)

Enter Now

RADIOS and SUPPLIES

Service Garage

Ford
DEALERS

COOLEY BROTHERS, PROPRIETORS

Wheat Pool Sales Manager Passes Away

Mr. Chester M. Elliott, western
sales agent of the Canadian Co-
operative Wheat Producers Ltd.,
died in a Vancouver hospital last
Sunday afternoon. Mr. Elliott
was 34 years of age and is sur-
vived by his wife and one child.

Mrs. O. Hinds entertained the
ladies card club on Tuesday even-
ing. The honors of the evening
were divided between Mrs. Black
and Mrs. J. Carter. The former
winning a nice cup and saucer,
while the latter won the consol-
ation. The card club will meet at
the home of Mrs. Lee next Tues-
day.

RED ROSE TEA "is good tea"

Folks who want the very best use
RED ROSE ORANGE PEKOE

*If the cold
"gets into your bones"
— drink Bovril*

Shall Parliament Be Supreme?

The decision of a majority of the members of the Board of Railway Commissioners ordering the withdrawal from operation of the Crow's Nest Pass freight rates, raises one of the biggest domestic issues ever confronting the people of Canada. The question involved in this amazing order is not merely one of dollars and cents to the people based on the rates of freight they shall be called upon to pay. Important as this economic aspect of the question may be, it fades into insignificance compared with the legal and constitutional questions involved.

The issue now before the people in Canada is whether the Parliament of Canada is the supreme power in the making of laws, or whether a body of some half-dozen men created by that Parliament has the right to nullify and set at naught an Act of Parliament. By the decision of four members out of six, the Board of Railway Commissioners arrogate to themselves full power to treat an Act of Parliament as "a scrap of paper," and by so doing impose on the people of Canada heavier taxation in the shape of railway freight rates than have the approval of Parliament.

And the Act of Parliament thus floated is one ratifying and giving effect to a contract entered into by the Government of Canada acting for the people as a whole with the Canadian Pacific Railway. Therefore, another issue raised by the decision of the Board of Railway Commissioners is the sanctity of contracts. If the C.P.R. is not bound to fulfill its contract with the people of Canada as set forth in the Crow's Nest Pass Agreement, the question at once arises whether the people of Canada are bound to fulfill their part of the original C.P.R. contract providing exemption from taxation in perpetuity for C.P.R. property in these Western Provinces.

Furthermore, if the C.P.R. is not bound by its contract to maintain the lower freight rates provided for in the Crow's Nest Pass Agreement, how can the Canadian National Railways, as the successor of the old Canadian Northern, be bound by the rates provided for in the Agreement with the Parliament of Canada under which that railway was extended westward across the prairies?

Under the Crow's Nest Pass Agreement, which the Railway Board now sweeps aside as in no way binding on the C.P.R. in the matter of freight rates as specified in that contract, the C.P.R. received from the people of Canada a cash bonus of \$11,000 per mile to assist in the construction of the Crow's Nest Pass railway. The C.P.R. accepted those millions of dollars and thereby obtained direct access to the rich mineral districts of Southern British Columbia and largely secured control of the traffic of that region which formerly had all gone over a short line into the United States. In exchange for this financial assistance the C.P.R. agreed to reduce freight rates on a selected list of articles below the then existing lowest freight tariff. Now the Railway Board rules that the C.P.R. is not bound to live up to its contract, and declares that the power of the Board to thus nullify the contract and impose higher freight rates on the people of Canada is superior to the power of Parliament itself.

Aside altogether from the financial considerations involved, the people of Canada will not for one moment accept the dictum that a Commission created by Parliament is superior to its creator. Under the British form of constitutional government, Parliament is supreme. Courts are created to interpret and administer the laws passed by Parliament, but they cannot make laws nor over-ride those passed by Parliament. And the Board of Railway Commissioners are constituted as a Court which hears evidence and renders decisions.

It is true that the Act creating the Board of Railway Commissioners instructs and empowers that Board to remove any discriminations in rates or in traffic arrangements which may exist. It is also to be admitted that the tariffs filed by the railway companies under the Crow's Nest Pass freight rates did constitute discrimination in various ways and between places. But in exercising its powers and discharging its duty in bringing about a removal of such discrimination, the Railway Commission is bound to recognize and respect other Acts of Parliament and specific contracts entered into by Parliament. There are other ways of removing the discriminations created by the railways themselves in the freight tariffs filed by them than to accept the arguments of the lawyers employed by these railways, over-ride an Act of Parliament, and incur the wrath of the people.

By their decision the majority of members of the Board of Railway Commissioners have raised a real issue in Canada and have started something which they cannot control. Certain it is, the people of Canada will never consent to their Parliament occupying an inferior position to any other body in the country, and least of all a body which Parliament itself created.

Breaks Grain Record

The Hutterite colony south of Raymond, Alberta, according to a statement made by its leader recently, has established a unique record in grain production. In the five years they have been in Southern Alberta, the colony has produced more wheat than in all the years of its operations in North Dakota, extending over two decades. In the last five years the Hutterites in the Raymond district have produced 284,000 bushels of wheat.

The sound of a bell which can be heard 45,200 feet through the water can be heard through the air only 456 feet.

For Humane Slaughter

The operation of a gun discharging by compressed air, which kills animals by the impact of a blunt instrument, was outlined by Dr. F. H. Rowley, president of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Massachusetts, during a discussion of humane methods of dispatching animals slaughtered for food, at a meeting of the American Humane Association held in Toronto.

Famous Westminster Hospital, in London, was founded in 1715, when four philanthropists met in a Fleet Street coffee shop to discuss a means of caring for the sick.

Crop Prices in 1922 and 1923

Prices Ruled Higher in 1923 Than in Previous Year

Statistical tables in the report of the director of the Dominion Experimental Farms for the year ending March 31, 1924, give comparisons for the years 1922 and 1923 of yields and prices of farm crops in Canada, and a comparison between the yields and prices in the eastern provinces, the prairie provinces, and British Columbia. These tables show an increase in price for the crops in 1923 compared with 1922, in the case of fall wheat, from \$1.01 to \$1.02 per bushel; flax seed from \$1.72 to \$1.77; corn for husking, from 83 cents to 92 cents; potatoes from 90 cents to \$1.02 per hundredweight; and turnips, mangels, etc., from 54 cents to 59 cents, also per hundredweight. Buckwheat was stationary at 84 cents per bushel.

The total yield of the crops increased in the majority of instances in 1923 over 1922, the exceptions being: Rye, which decreased from 32,373,400 bushels to 23,231,800 bushels; peas from 3,170,100 bush. to 2,898,200 bush.; beans from 3,303,300 bush. to 1,941,700 bush.; corn for husking from 13,728,000 bush. to 13,608,000 bush.; potatoes from 55,745,300 hundredweight to 55,497,000 hundredweight; turnips, mangels, etc., from 43,873,500 hundredweight to 38,116,500 hundredweight; and fodder corn from 5,879,000 tons to 5,320,800 tons.

RHEUMATIC PEOPLE CAN NOW FIND RELIEF

By Driving the Poisonous Acid From the System

Rheumatism attacks people when the blood is thin and watery, or charged with impurities, thus setting up inflammation of the muscles and joints. Cold, wet weather or sharp winds may start the attack, but the cause is rooted in the blood and to get relief it must be treated through the blood. As a blood purifier and nerve tonic, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are now passed, and for that reason do not fail to give relief to rheumatic sufferers when given a fair trial. Among the rheumatic sufferers who have proved the great value of this medicine is Mrs. Simeon J. Talbot, Indian Head, Sask., who says: "For over two years I was an intense sufferer from rheumatism and until I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills no treatment that I took helped me any. The trouble grew so bad that I could not move around the house without help, and finally I had to give up and go to bed. Words cannot tell how much I suffered, and I could not bear to have anyone come near me. One of my neighbors strongly urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I decided to do so. In the course of a few weeks I could feel an improvement, and I was able to get up. I kept on taking the pills until all traces of the trouble were gone, and I could again do my housework, feeling like a new person. Three years have passed since then and there has never been the slightest return of the trouble, so that I feel safe in saying that the relief brought by this medicine is permanent."

You can get the pills from your druggist, or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Organize Bee Pools

Bee pools or co-operative societies for honey marketing have been organized in Ontario and Quebec, and such is the status of the industry in Western Canada, that the coast and prairie provinces are expected to have similar organizations in operation before the end of the season. The next logical step, and the keystone of the enterprise, will in all probability be a central selling organization.

Women and Asthma. Women are numbered among the sufferers from asthma by the countless thousands, in every climate they will be found, helpless in the grip of this terrible disease, unless they have availed themselves of the proper remedy. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has brought new hope and life to many such. Testimonials, sent entirely without solicitation, show the enormous benefit it has wrought among women everywhere.

Prairie Indians Prosperous
According to Indian Commissioner W. M. Graham, the Indians of the prairie provinces were never in such a prosperous condition as they are at the present time. There is a prospect of a splendid catch of fur-bearing animals this fall, he says.

No one need endure the agony of corns with Holloway's Corn Remover at hand to remove them.

Manager: "So you'd like to be off this afternoon, to bury your aunt?" Clerk: "V—yes, sir; if it doesn't rain."

Ice from century-old glaciers is used at an Alaskan cannery to keep fish fresh while being shipped to the markets.

Although vanity is supposed to be a feminine trait, one doesn't have to scratch very deep to find it in a man.

Many a man who wouldn't make a wife of his cook asks a cook of his wife.

Minard's Liniment for Dandruff

Manitoba Man Wins Scholarship

Selected For Scholarship Donated By W. C. Macdonald, Reg'd. Inc., Tobacco Manufacturers, Montreal

R. M. White, a native of Darlington, Man., has been selected as Manitoba's nominee for a \$500 post-graduate scholarship in scientific agriculture, tenable at Macdonald College, Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Que., and leading to the degree of M.Sc. This is one of ten scholarships annually donated by W. C. Macdonald Reg'd. Inc., tobacco manufacturers of Montreal. Under the terms of the gift two of the scholarships are awarded to Quebec nominees, this by reason of the bilingual situation there. The remaining eight go one to each province.

In donating these scholarships, which have an aggregate value of \$5,000 each year, W. C. Macdonald, Reg'd. Inc., is adhering to the policy of its founder, the late Sir William Macdonald, who in his lifetime gave many millions of dollars for the advancement of scientific and technical education in the Dominion of Canada. Sir William Macdonald realized at a time when the fact was not apparent to others, that progress in the Dominion would depend in a large measure upon the facilities offered for scientific and technical education. Without education in these lines being readily available it would be impossible properly to develop the country's natural resources or to advance its basic industry, agriculture. Accordingly he gave away millions. Part of his princely benefactions established and maintain Macdonald College, Ste. Anne de Bellevue, where these scholarships are tenable and which is one of the finest institutions of its kind in the world. Part of them went to the establishment of a faculty of engineering at McGill University. Part went to the Ontario Agricultural College at Guelph.

Mr. White, who represents Manitoba at this year's post-graduate course, took grades 9, 10 and 11 in the Modern High School in '04, '05 and '06, and spent the following two winters in the Manitoba Agricultural College. From 1909 until the outbreak of war he was engaged in various capacities in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and British Columbia, enlisting in October, 1914, in the 27th Battalion. He was in France from September, 1915, until wounded at Cambrai in October, 1918. He returned home in March, 1919, and spent the following year on the farm near Darlington, later securing a position as field supervisor with the Soldier Settlement Board of Alberta. He spent nearly a year and a half at this work and then registered for his B.S.A. at Manitoba Agricultural College. He became interested in entomology and obtained a position at Trebank where he is now spending his third summer. He was a member of the team that represented Manitoba at the Royal Agricultural Show and won first and second scores in the grand aggregate, and gold medals for swine and beef cattle. He obtained a medal in this judging contest.

Commemorating Woman Doctor

Dr. Elsie Inglis Organized Scottish Women's Hospitals During War

A somewhat heated memorial is to be established in London to commemorate that remarkable woman, the late Dr. Elsie Inglis, who organized the Scottish Women's Hospitals in the war and raised one and a half millions for the purpose. The memorial is to consist of an endowment to maintain beds in the Obstetric Department of the Royal Free Hospital. Dr. Inglis always predicted that the war would cost her her life, and it did. The London School of Medicine for Women, with whose work Dr. Inglis was so closely connected, is observing its 50th anniversary on Oct. 24 and 25 by a service at St. Paul's and a dinner in the Guildhall.

Kills Deer With Arrow

Miss Virginia Ayres, of San Francisco, killed an American deer with an arrow for the first time such a feat has been performed since Indians forced the bow. She sighted the deer near Cloverleaf and killed it with a steel-headed arrow shot from a 52-pound bow—nearly double the strength of the ordinary woman's target weapon.

The Oil of Power.—It is not claimed for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil that it will remedy every ill, but its uses are so various that it may be looked upon as a general pain killer. It has achieved that greatness for itself and its excellence is known to all who have tested its virtues and learned by experience.

It is stated that half the world's electric light is used in the United States.

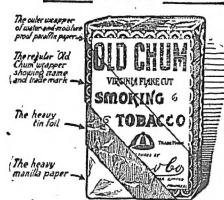
The women in Holland do their indoor work clad in thick hand-knitted stockings.

Minard's Liniment for Aches and Pains

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to bring you the full richness
and mellow sweetness of this—

"Tobacco of Quality"

Manufactured by
IMPERIAL TOBACCO CO. OF CANADA LIMITED

New Comet Discovered

Said To Be Of Seventh Magnitude and Growing Brighter

A new comet, blazing across the sky two hours behind the sun, has been announced at the Harvard College Observatory.

It was discovered by the astronomer, Finster, of Bonn, Germany, on September 15, was observed a day later at Berlin, and second confirmation of it came from Lick Observatory in word that it had been observed there.

As comets go, the new comet is a big one, being of the seventh magnitude, just short of being within the unaided vision of the eye. The reports indicated that it was growing brighter.

A Lowestoft, England, fisherman has made friends with a seal, which swims after his boat whenever he launches it.

The Advantage Of Compromise

Develop Ability to Examine Agreements With Eyes Open

Human nature is such that nations and individuals seem capable of creative compromises only after periods of suffering. Some peoples, the more successful politically, come to such agreements more often than do others. The British are famous for notorious compromises. England, on her own island, has not had a violent overturn in 25 years, but the British are usually ahead of the nations which have had revolutions. Some individuals are more capable of creative compromise than others, and these, usually, are the ones who make the real accomplishments. They develop a philosophy which enables them to examine—with eyes open—into every agreement that is presented.—Boston Globe.



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Unless you see the "Bayer Cross" on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer product proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians 24 years for

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Safe Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proven directions.

Handy "Bayer" boxes of 12 tablets. Also bottles of 24 and 100—Druggists. Aspirin is also the trade mark (registered in Canada) of Bayer Manufacture of Monocrotonic-acid-ester of Salicylic Acid (Acetyl Salicylic Acid, "A. S. A."). While it is well known that Aspirin is a Bayer manufacture, to assist the public against imitations, the Tablets of Bayer Company will be stamped with their general trade mark, the "Bayer Cross."

What Does This Trade Mark Mean?

You will see this shield-shaped trade mark in hardware stores everywhere. You won't see it on cheap, inferior goods. It goes only on household utensils of the highest quality, yet selling at moderate prices, because of the tremendous quantities sold each year.

Choose cooking and baking utensils that carry this trade mark. Choose SMP Enamelled Ware, with its very hard, smooth surface. Heats faster, cleans easier, imparts no metallic flavor, causes no dangerous acid reactions. Ask for

SMP Enamelled WARE

Three finishes: Pearl Ware, two coats of pearly-grey enamel inside and out. Diamond Ware, three coats, light blue and white outside, white lining. Crystal Ware, three coats, pure white inside and out, with Royal Blue edging.

THE SHEET METAL PRODUCTS CO. OF CANADA
MONTREAL TORONTO WINNIPEG
EDMONTON VANCOUVER CALGARY

The "grain of Mustard"
for health

Don't refuse the mustard when it is passed to you. Cultivate the habit of taking it with meat, especially fat meat. It stimulates the digestion and aids in assimilating your food.

but it must be Keen's

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The Solid And Secure Position Of Canada Is Described By Lord Beaverbrook

Interesting observations on "My Journey in Canada" by Lord Beaverbrook appear in his paper, the London Express, in a recent issue. Lord Beaverbrook's article follows:

The Canadian dollar is now at parity of exchange and often at more than parity. In other words, the Canadian dollar is normally worth as much as the American dollar and on occasion more. Canada's currency is therefore today as good as the best in the world, and sometimes better. And this fact is, of course, but a reflection of the unbounded prosperity of the Dominion. Yet how many people are there in Europe, outside strictly business and financial circles, to whom this news will not come as a surprise? We are too accustomed to look for currency values to New York and to forget Montreal or Toronto—possibly because they happen to be inside the empire.

The Canadian dollar is valuable because Canada is rich and prosperous. Its prosperity springs from three great primary sources of national wealth. There are the minerals, the gold and the silver, of Ontario. Looking to the west there are the vast wheat fields of the prairies—themselves exploited in a manner of industrial efficiency which suggests the operation of mining from the soil rather than the old agricultural methods in vogue in England. Looking again to the east, Canada is mining the vast forests which nature has spread so abundantly for her, to supply Fleet Street and the world with newsprint. The timber is cut, the logs go to the mill, the wood pulp to the paper machines, and the forests grow in order that the journalist may peruse Canada. In fact, is one great national mine of undeveloped resources.

Such are the vital resources of the Dominion. And in consequence of their rigorous exploitation there is in Canada no "dole" today. The employed have not to pay a tax to maintain the unemployed, and the finance of the state is not therefore subjected to this continuous drain. There is no unemployment problem in the Dominion in the sense in which we are compelled to face it in Great Britain—that is to say of persistent unemployment over long periods due in no way to the fault of the worker. The unemployed in Canada under ordinary conditions are simply those who are physically incapable of prolonged labor or those who have a natural distaste for the sort of employment which lies to their hand.

There are other factors which have enabled the Dominion to make its astounding recovery from the effects of the war and the hard world conditions which accompanied the post-war period. Among these I would place her admirable banking system. It is the soundest in the world and the strongest. I have not looked into the figures, but I feel sure that the savings of Canadians per head exceed those of the people of any other country, not excluding the United States. The heads of the banking world are therefore of primary importance to the safe and prosperous conduct of Canadian life and industry. Their relative standing is enhanced by the fact that Canada, unlike the powers and nations of Europe, has practically no external difficulties. Her problems are purely internal, and it is this fact which makes the banker, rather than the politician, the King of Canada.

Another vital factor in the progress of the Dominion will be found in its educational system. Education is free to everybody, and all children attend the same schools on a footing of absolute equality. In this way the intelligence of the whole mass of the people is given a free vent, and we possess in real truth and actuality that equality of opportunity of which the democrats have always dreamed, and I attribute the great progress that the country is making largely to the fact that there is nothing to prevent any lad in any walk of life today taking the place and playing the role now occupied by men like Sir Vincent Meredith and Sir Herbert Holt—as the new generation succeeds the present one. The knowledge that this is so gives a tremendous stimulus to the energies of the individual. He devotes himself to developing the resources of his country and not grumbling about the limitations of a life which has in fact no limitation.

To a sound system of education practice of government. Canada enjoys excellent administrations—so that we may hope that good government has become a matter of fixed habit. All governments have, of course, their critics, and rightly so, for the criticism of an opposition is an essential factor in the working of a democratic constitution. None the

less it is true that the government of the Dominion is better both in quality and character than that of the United States. It is demonstrably more efficient.

The Experimental Farm System

Farms Established In Districts Where They Will Be Of Most Assistance

Much interesting and valuable information is contained in the report for 1923 of the Director of the Dominion Experimental Farms, Mr. E. S. Archibald, B.A., B.S.A. It tells in concise and condensed form of the things in 1923 of the fourteen divisions of which the Central Farm at Ottawa consists, of the twenty-three branch farms and stations, of the half-dozen substations in Yukon Territory, in Northern Alberta, Northern British Columbia, and Northern Quebec, and of the illustration stations, the number of which was increased during 1923 from 83 to 127. There were, when the report was prepared, six illustration stations in Prince Edward Island, fifteen in Quebec, seven in Ontario, twenty in Saskatchewan, twelve in Alberta, and thirteen in British Columbia. In every instance these stations are established in districts where it is considered they will be of most assistance to farmers. With every province having its farms and stations extending east, west, south and to the opened-up districts of the north, it will be seen that the Dominion Experimental Farm system penetrates to all the confines of the country.

Lectures On Farming

Correspondence Course Planned For Settlers Coming to Canada

A correspondence course of 10 very practical lectures on Canadian farming practices and conditions, for the benefit of intending emigrants from Great Britain, Holland and Scandinavian countries, has been inaugurated by the Canadian National Railways, and is proving a great success, according to Dr. W. J. Black, European manager of colonization and immigration, Canadian National Railways, who has returned to Canada. The course includes the following subjects: Selecting a farm and settling on the land; farm machinery; dairying; poultry; growing of grains and soil management; forage crops; fruit growing; the farm house, and making money on the farm.

Hundreds of enquiries are being received at the European Bureau for the information these booklets contain, according to Dr. Black, and it is evident from the tone of these that hundreds of people who are looking towards Canada as a future home will spend the winter evenings studying to prepare themselves, as well as they can, to become adaptable settlers.

Ignorance and Disease

Public Should Be Educated In Matters Of Health

The acquisition of knowledge has always been followed by the repulse of disease. In the absence of knowledge disease invariably remains master of the situation. In other words, our health is in our own hands. Given the men and the means, there is probably no secret which cannot be read. In the past the world has been content to leave its safety to a few pioneers, ill-equipped and often vexed by many disadvantages; and for its carelessness it has paid the penalty. It is not enough to spread knowledge among professional men; the public must share it, since, in the last issue, every citizen is a soldier in the army of health. The menace of public ignorance has recently been illustrated by the appalling epidemics which swept over Russia after the Bolsheviks had murdered the medical men in that unhappy country—London Times.

Money and Contentment

Every poor man seems to believe that the man who has a hundred times more money is a hundred times happier, and a hundred times better off. It is a false notion. I have known a good many rich people, lately, but they seemed no more content than I am.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

The water is so clear in the fjords of Norway that objects an inch and a half in diameter can be seen distinctly at a depth of 150 feet.

Many cut flowers live longer if sugar is added to the water in which they stand—about one part of sugar to nine of water.

Brick From Saskatchewan Clay

Deposits at Claybank Are Being Successfully Exploited

More than 3,000,000 face and fire bricks and 750,000 hard burned vitrified brick for roundhouse work for the Canadian National Railways have been manufactured at Claybank, Sask., this year, according to T. M. Molloy, commissioner of the bureau of labor and industries, who returned from a tour of inspection of clay deposits in Southern Saskatchewan.

Dr. Chas. Cansell, deputy minister of the Federal department of mines, and A. J. C. Nottell, Vancouver, British Columbia representative of the geological survey, accompanied Mr. Molloy on the trip.

Dr. Cansell expressed himself as surprised at the extensive area covered by clay deposits in Southern Saskatchewan and was greatly interested in studying fossils of the different clays visited to determine their age and origin. He found the clay free from impurities and of good texture.

Mr. Molloy said next year will probably see a big reduction in the import of fire brick and refractory shapes due to the extended use of Saskatchewan clays. Lignite coal is being successfully used in the early stages of the manufacture of fire clays at Claybank and experiments are being conducted to find a way of using lignite in all stages of the production if possible.

It is claimed there is enough clay in sight at Claybank to permit of the manufacture of 50,000 bricks a day for the next 200 years. The normal capacity of the plant at Claybank is 10,000 to 15,000 bricks a day, and the full capacity 25,000 a day.

Holdes Unusual Job

A job such as few women ever enjoyed is that held by a Miss Williams, who for 20 years has been the official ship reporter at Highland Light, on the tip end of Cape Cod. Day in and day out, holidays and Sundays and all, she watches the ships that pass her window, identifies them and telegraphs the information to the offices of various shipping companies in New York or Boston or Baltimore.

Relief For Dry Areas

Decision to appropriate up to \$1,500 for relief in dried out areas of Saskatchewan was reached at a meeting of the Central Board of Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association at Regina. Sympathy with the idea of amalgamation between the Farmers' Union and the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association was expressed in a resolution by the board.

Millions Ready To Come To Canada

Unfavorable Reports Keeping Emigrants Away Says Dr. Black

More people in the British Isles want to emigrate to Canada to provide better opportunities for their children than for any other reason, it is stated by Dr. W. J. Black, European manager of colonization and immigration for the Canadian National Railways, who has arrived in Canada to take part in a conference on colonization.

Ignorance of actual climatic conditions and reports of unemployment and low wages are the principal reasons detrimental to immigration to Canada at the present time. "Unless many Canadians display a greater measure of confidence in their country and its possibilities than they have been doing in recent years, the effect will be to retard development in immigration," Dr. Black declared.

"Millions of people are available for settlement in Canada, who will come as soon as they are satisfied that it will be to their advantage to emigrate and that they can arrange to do so."

Dr. Black declared himself opposed to the system of directing newcomers wholly to Western Canada and said he believed there were many desirable and adaptable settlers in Great Britain who, while they might not succeed in the prairie provinces, would find themselves at home and would make a success of life in British Columbia, Ontario, Quebec or the Maritime Provinces. The policy of directing newcomers to the parts of Canada most suitable for them, he department intended to adhere to.

Alberta Butter Popular In Britain

Shipments Forwarded Direct From Producers to Overseas Market

Shipments of Alberta creamery butter continue to be forwarded direct from producers to the British market. This movement assumed some proportions last year and the marketing of the butter direct by the manufacturers proved satisfactory. Recently three carloads left Edmonton for the Old Country and other shipments have been made from Calgary. The increasing popularity of Alberta butter in Great Britain was demonstrated by the minister of agriculture bringing back with him from overseas orders to handle large quantities of the Alberta product, provided the supply can be made continuous throughout the year.

The longest concrete bridge in the world is being built to span the Seine at St. Pierre du Vaucaire.

General Agricultural Situation Is Much Better Than Appearances First Indicated

A Vision Of Port Churchill

Predicts That A Second Montreal Will Be Built On Shores Of Hudson Bay

Another enthusiastic prophet of the great future in store for this country is J. Morwood Dowsett, who, writing in the New Voice, published by the National Citizens' Union of England, states that he knew Canada very well from the Atlantic to the Pacific before the war. He had been in the habit of spending six to seven months in it yearly, had invested in its property to the extent of more than a million dollars, and had hunted its big game extensively.

Mr. Dowsett, recalling some of the history of the Hudson Bay Railway, commends the project, but prefers a port at Churchill rather than at Nelson. He writes: "Again, I am going to be foolish enough to prophesy and venture to predict that this port (Churchill) will prove a second Montreal in the years to come. I believe in supporting my opinion, and when the railroad is built to this port, and the land surveyed and put into the open market, I shall purchase sites on the waterfront, as I believe great developments, with large profits, will follow."

Chinese Aviatrix

Woman Flyer To Join Chinese Fighting Men In War Zone

Japan's first aviatrix, Miss Shigeo Kibe, 22 years old, will complete her course of training at the Munesato Aviation School near Tokyo within a few weeks. She expects to take part in the aerial competition to be held by the Imperial Aviation Association, and then, according to an agreement recently entered into, she will go to Mukden to join the air forces of Marshal Chang Tso-Lin, military governor of Manchuria. Miss Kibe's father is a contractor, furnishing supplies to the Manchurian war lord.

Several of the largest construction jobs completed recently in Oakland, Cal., and vicinity, were carried out by a woman contractor, Mrs. E. E. O'Brien.

When a dentist hunts trouble he goes armed to the teeth.

New Brunswick's Moose and Guides Are Ready



Nine million acres of hunting grounds, woodland and waterways, where moose roam by the thousands, is what New Brunswick offers the hunter. Into this province each autumn pours a stream of hunters, each of whom is determined to bring back a pair of enormous antlers. Most of them do.

A French writer tells us that during the French occupation, 250 years ago, as many as 5,000 moose hides were brought down the St. John River in a single season. Tradition holds the story of a raft loaded with 141 carcasses, that floated down the Tobique to furnish the makings of a huge barbecue. Those were days of unbridled license in hunting. Today, when game laws protect the forest monarch fairly well; except for 8 weeks each fall, he is immune from legal killing.

rhode Island and New Hampshire.

Two methods are followed in moose hunting—calling and stalking. The first is practiced during the first weeks of the hunting season and takes advantage of the mating instinct to lure the bull moose to sudden death while rendezvous-bound. The other method is often termed "still hunting" and calls into play the highest art of hunter and guide to get within shooting distance, for a moose's sense of smell is very keen and the faintest scent of man sends him plunging out of reach. Cows and calf moose are protected at all times, so too, are bulls under three years of age.

The season for moose hunting in New Brunswick is Oct. 1st to Nov. 30th, and the bag limit is one bull moose and two deer, per hunter.

Waste In Smoke Slight

Most of Coal Goes Up Chimney As Atmospheric Gases

Every time a ton of coal is burned in the family furnace, seventeen tons of gas go up the chimney, sixteen of which are the gases of the atmosphere, either free or in combination with the elements of which the coal is formed.

A little more than twelve tons are of nitrogen, which goes through the fire unchanged. Nearly four tons of oxygen are needed to burn the coal and this oxygen all goes up the flue as carbon dioxide, sulphur dioxide and water vapor.

Most of the coal, 1,600 pounds or so, also goes up the chimney, principally as carbon dioxide, less than one part in a hundred forming smoke.

British Girls For Canadian Homes

A party of British girls, for all of whom positions have been provided in Western Canada, arrived a few days ago at the Canadian National Depot in Winnipeg. Some of the party remained in that city, while others left for positions in Vancouver, Victoria and New Westminster under the escort of Salvation Army officers.

Grain Facilities At Lake Head

With the added capacity for storage in the Reliance elevator at Port Arthur available, the grain facilities of the twin cities at the lake head are said to lead the world.

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The genuine sergeant winced involuntarily. It was a very bad joke. He doubted that he ever would become accustomed to Sergeant Seymour's spoken of as murdered—done for.

"Shoot," he heard Brewster invite. "It's this way, Phil. Seymour must have been quite a responsible member of the Force. As you said this a.m., his snuffing is going to make a noisy rear-back. I got to report it to somebody in the Mounted—but who and where?"

Seymour deflected uneasily in the silence that followed. He was due to Brewster's considering his answer. He detested answering; never had resorted to it on any of his cases. By way of letting the two in the adjoining room know of his presence, he scraped his chair noisily over the bare floor. This warning, however, seemed to check Brewster, or even to lower his voice.

"I remember reading that Vancouver is the nearest staff-office of this new Canadian Mounted Police, but I'm just being thinking— If they send a lot of Mounties into Gold and run down these stage-robbing murderers, you're not going to get credit. I'm strong for home industry, even in justice. Why don't you delay reporting the sergeant's death until you find your man?"

"Say, you're a real find, Phil, even if you do try to ride me sometimes. I need the credit for turning a trick like that. It might make me sheriff when the old man gets through. But—would I dare?"

Seymour started for the hall but at the way, heard Brewster's reply: "Write your report, Sam, but don't post it until after tomorrow's mail has gone. That'll give you a week. Then address the letter to Ottawa, which will give you a few days more. At that time, you ought to have the murderers rounded up. You can forget what I told you about the sergeant being a Vancouver headquarter."

Surprise at such advice from a seemingly public-spirited citizen delayed Seymour's knee until he had heard it through. Of course, all this might be merely a sign of revolt, though mistaken, friendship for Brewster on the other hand, was it possible that Brewster had personal reasons for wishing to delay the coming of the Mounties?

"With this question to the force of his mind, Seymour knocked on the adjoining door and was invited in. His entry seemed not to disturb either of the two."

"Just wanted to tell you that the next room is occupied and that the partition between is more or less of a megaphone," he said in a light tone. "If you've any secrets, don't tell me."

Brewster's laugh was natural enough to be reassuring. "If we were talking secrets, straighten up and tell me the truth. I've lived in the Bonanza since the day it was opened, and I don't even think secrets behind these make-believe walls."

The sergeant dismissed his unintentional eavesdropping with a shrug and turned to face the man who had trail this morning you seemed to think you might want me later. You'll know now where to find me—Room number twelve."

"Forget this a.m., old partner. I was maybe a little mite excited out."

BETTER IN EVERY WAY

After Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Ingomar, N. S.—"I took your medicine for a run-down condition and inward troubles. I had pains in my right side so bad at times that I could not walk any distance. I saw about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the newspaper and have taken five bottles of it. I am better in every way and you can use my letter to help other women."—MRS. ALVINA M. PERRY, Ingomar, N. S.

Nervous Breakdown Relieved

Toronto, Ontario.—"It is pretty hard to explain your drug to me. I have been in my head and eyes, always crying, and did not want to go any more. I am finding and fancy work, and I would get irritable after a few minutes of work. I have been in Canada five years and have been this way ever since I came. I am taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I sleep better and it seems to make me eat, and I must say I am feeling more joyful. I have great faith in your medicine because of what it has done for my husband's stomach and he recommended it to me."—MRS. A. SMITH, 10 Burleigh Avenue, Tudor City, Toronto, Ontario.

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there at the scene of the crime. There ain't such a lot of difference between deputy sheriffs and mounted sergeants. It might-a been me lying there dead as that dead. Your hanging looked looked sort of like a hanging, straight now. You're welcome to Gold and I hope you get what you come for."

"You'll find me strong for law and order," Seymour replied.

This seemed to invite Hardy to real confidence. Reaching Seymour from the doorway, he edged his chair closer to the cot on which Brewster reclined in a half-dozen inches. "Don't mind telling you two in confidence," he leaned forward and whispered, "that I'm in a fair way to making the two who robbed the stage and killed Tabor and Seymour. Maybe I ain't seemed to be doing much, but I've got claws to burn already."

"You have?" cried Brewster, hunching himself into a sitting position on the cot.

Hardy nodded assuringly. "There were two of them in the bush lying for the sergeant this morning. One had a Winchester 36-20 and used it to kill Seymour. One rode a horse that was shot in front but plain behind. He was a man with a mean expression to collect the economics he considered his due."

"Important if true, Sam," Brewster observed. "Quick work," admitted the Mountie, surprised; his hand was in his pocket and he was looking at the ridge case picked up that morning. "How in the world did you learn all that?"

Hardy seemed to relish supplying the details, even though he had to whisper them. Apparently he had forgotten that one of his confidants was an utter stranger both to him and to the camp, one whose name even he did not know. His was country official vainly advanced to the nth degree.

"Pratt dug out the bullet, which fixed the brand of the gun with which the deed was done. Then I've got a half-bred boy on my staff who's been a cowboy since the bush. He found the horse track of the two from the scene of the crime. Now I'm looking for a man with a mean expression and a horse that's shy on shoes."

Surprised that Hardy should have shown so much initiative, and apparently a man with a setting too loose "home" for comfort, Seymour made a diverting question.

"How do you know about the chap who was killed?"

"You mean this last one—Staff-Sergeant Seymour? He had the deputy in turn, but merely as a preface—not waiting for an answer. 'Kirby of the First Bank has heard of him. Says he's a cowboy since the bush. He's in the Northwest territories, and is guilty of some of the hardest patrol work I've ever heard of. He's a cowboy regular fighting machine. Autopsies proved that.'"

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on in the glow of loving reminiscence. "Naturally," I was curious, for I thought the gold was all there was worth while up here. I asked him what he meant. With that, her lips were stiffled and a drummy look came into her eyes.

The sergeant did not believe that she had passed with aggravating intent, or even from any sense of the dramatic. Doubtless, her thoughts were with the departed one, but that was no place at all for her to stop; he just couldn't wait longer to get what was in Gold was richer than gold.

"Yes—yes!" he prodded, glancing at her to suggest a time reason for his hurry.

"Why, Bart, just took me into his arms in a gentle, big-way he had at times said—I'll never forget; it made me so happy."

Again she was living over what evidently had been the big moment of her recent life; but that fact did not ease in the least Seymour's present impatience.

"Well, what did he say?"

"Bart said—'All you'll care to know, Marge old dear, is that I'm going to be a sergeant over in the Northwest territories, and you can understand. Mr. Sergeant, how happy it made me.'"

Another brief moment, Margaret Caswell succeeded in forgetting her recent bereavement.

"The talk was the morning after the unfortunate, stage-busness," she went on with just a little break in her voice at the mention of the crime.

"Well, that in his borrowed uniform to establish himself at the hotel as he left an officer. He dropped in to see me, and he said, 'I'll never forget; it made me so happy.'"

Exactly like a woman to be accurate about the clothes he wore, thought Seymour, he must have been in the new camp all excited with his first job."

"Bart knew that he would have to work fast," the woman was saying. "He was a cowboy since the bush, he was aware that you would soon be coming in plain clothes. In spite of the fact that he would be acting in the name of the law, and that all his so-called lifting would be from Montreal crooks, he'd be forced to be a cowboy over the Alaskan border, from there to catch some through steamer to the States."

"Montreal crooks?"

"More than ever Seymour was interested. Was it possible that in that inexplicable way of the almost trackless wilds, his trail would cross that of Harry Karmack's—that his unsolved assignment might be completed and his pact with the law validated? Harry Karmack, he well knew, had been hand in glove with the worst of Montreal's underworld characters, although there the lawless element had been able to cover the embezzler."

But the woman was going on: "It was agreed that I'd be right here running this eating place, until I heard from him. You see, it was safe enough, for he had been in the law, and no one suspected that there was any relationship. After that evening, I never saw Bart again to speak of."

That she might not yield to the pull upon her emotions, Seymour put out a couple of rapid fire questions. "You think, then, that one of these so-called Montreal crooks got him? Any line on them?"

(To be continued)

Official Intercourse

"Pop, what is a diplomat?"

"A diplomat," my son, is a gentleman who can tell a lie in such a manner to another gentleman, who is also a diplomat, that the second gentleman is compelled to pretend that he really believes the first gentleman, although he knows that the first gentleman is a liar, who knows that the second gentleman does not believe him."

An Oversight

Lady (visiting prison).—And how did you come to be put in here, my good man?"

"My luck," declared the imprisoned wood alcohol vendor, who was in a confidential mood. "One of my customers didn't go blind, and he identified me."

The Best Proof

"I can speak from experience," said the druggist. "This is the best tonic for nerves. I take it myself, sir; \$2.50 a bottle."

"It's done you good, anyway, if you're the nerve to ask that price for it!" replied the customer.

London can boast of 20 women undertakers, while 60 women are qualified auctioneers.

How Manitoba Derived Its Name

Writers Differ As To The Origin Of This Euphonious Word

Manitoba is so euphonious a name that its use was extended from the lake to which it was first applied to that of the provinces created 13th May, 1870. Manitoba, however, was not the name by which the lake was first known to white men. Its discoverers and explorers were the La Verendrye, father and son, in 1731 and 1739. The name applied by La Verendrye in his journal for 1738-39 is Lac des Prairies or, in English, Lake of the Prairies. Other early names are Prairie Lake, Meadow Lake, Lake of the Meadows, also Assiniboine Lake in various forms of the term the reference being to the Assiniboine Indians who dwelt on its shores. On the map accompanying Alexander Mackenzie's voyages, published in London in 1801 the lake is called Manitoba. Numerous other forms of the word Manitoba are met with. The name is explained in two ways. The explanation generally accepted derives it from Cree manito-wapow or the Ojibway manito-haw meaning the spirit of the manito or spirit. According to this explanation the name was first applied to an island in the narrows. H. Y. Hind, of Toronto, in his narrative of "The Canadian Red River Expedition, 1857-58" says: "The origin of this superstition in relation to Manitoba is due to the sounds produced by the waves as they beat upon the beach at the foot of the cliffs near its northern extremity. During the night time when a gentle breeze is blowing from the north, the various sounds heard on the shore are quite sufficient to make one enter into the minds of the superstitious Indians." This explanation is concurred in by Mr. J. B. Tyrrell, who writes in the report of the Geological Survey for 1899 that the limestone on a beach on the island "is very compact and resonant and when the waves beat against this beach and throw these resounding pebbles one on another, the roaring sound will undoubtedly be produced which has given rise to the superstition among the Indians."

La Verendrye, as noted above, called the lake, Lake of the Prairie, and here are those who think that this is the meaning of the Indian name. Abbe Dugas is a strong supporter of the latter definition and in his book "The Canadian West" published in Montreal in 1896 upholds this view. After arguing on the point of language he concludes: "The Indians who dwell on the shores of Lake Manitoba and the banks of the Assiniboine at the time of its discovery were Assiniboines whose language resembles that of the Sioux. There were the tribes Matapoba, Hicoba, Tiboba. This termination to their language signifies 'prairie' and mine means 'water.' Mine also means 'yellow water,' mine also means 'water.' Mine also means 'water or lake of the prairie.' The English successors to the French pronounced 'mine' as 'my' and hence Manitoba."

The above information is summarized in the 13th Report of the Geographic Board of Canada recently published which gives the meaning of many Canadian place-names.

Secured On The Lawyer

A young doctor was summoned as a witness in a case that depended on technical evidence. The opposing counsel was inclined to be sarcastic at the idea of so young a doctor being called.

"You are familiar," he said, "with the symptoms of concussion of the brain?"

"Yes," said the doctor.

"Then if Mr. Smith and myself collided, and banged our heads together, should we get concussion of the brain?"

"Mr. Smith might," said the doctor.

Legacy Left For Horse

Under the will of Thomas Wilde Fawcner, of Macclesfield, Cheshire, the store dealer, £1 a week is set aside for the maintenance of a horse.

So long as the horse lives, Mr. Fawcner's freehold land is not to be sold, but with the stables and buildings thereon is to be primarily a home for the animal.

Among some Indian tribes it is improper for a mother-in-law to speak to her daughter's husband.

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Why India Is Troubled

Economic Conditions Are Causing Most of the Unrest

There is no doubt as to the great amount of unrest in India, but that unrest has an economic as well as a political basis, and a recent article in The Round Table points this out. The writer calls attention to the fact that between 1872 and 1921 the population of India increased from 206,162,360 to 318,242,480, or more than 50 per cent., and that the great difficulty is to make food production keep pace with the increase of population. Wages are very low, farm wages being about six cents a day in 1900, and eighteen cents a day in 1922, but with the cost of living considerably increased India's millions are underfed and badly clothed and housed. Britain has been doing what she could to increase production, the progress is slow. Our missionaries in India, ever keen to recognize the real needs of the people, are now establishing mission agricultural stations with the aim of giving India better cattle and better farms, so that the people may not go perpetually hungry. Humanity and Christianity are very closely allied. But the feeding of 300,000,000 of people is no light task, and the uplift of India demands sanest constructive Christian statesmanship. Changing the form of government would not solve this problem at all—Christian Guardian.

Relics Of By-Gone Days

Brings Home Old Chest of Spanish Pirates From Southern Seas

Relics full of romance have been brought from the Caribbean Sea to Toronto by W. W. Tretheway, souvenirs of his yachting cruise. He obtained them from Sam Brown, a treasure-seeker, who is constantly searching in this sea for ancient spoil. One of Mr. Tretheway's souvenirs is an ornate hammered steel chest of the pirate period of 300 years ago, when buccaners adventuring from the Spanish Main took what they found and asked no man's authority. This chest has heavy handles, an excellent key-lock of fancy cut steel, and is bound with steel bands back and front. Deep notched catches at the side assist its security. The rust of the sea has taken rather smaller effect on it though in places, but it is easily seen that it was a very serviceable property. When found it was partly full of Spanish gold and silver coin and short pieces of bullion. As it is two feet high and three and a half long, it could easily contain a fortune. Along with this is another smaller chest of iron. It is not nearly so ornamental as the other, but probably has had quite as interesting a history.

CONSTIPATED CHILDREN

Constipation is one of the most common ailments of childhood and the child suffering from it positively cannot thrive. To keep the little one well the bowels must be kept regular and the stomach sweet. To do this the mother can give Baby's Own Tablets. They are a mild but thorough laxative; are pleasant to take and can be given to the newborn babe with perfect safety. Thousands of mothers use no other medicine for their little ones but Baby's Own Tablets. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Few Foreigners In Australia

Population Shows 98 Per Cent. of British Extraction

Some interesting figures are disclosed in the latest Australian census. They show that the Commonwealth has a total population of 5,435,734, and that more than 98 per cent. are of British extraction. Of the total population 84½ per cent. were born in Australia. The remarkable homogeneity of the Australian population is shown by the fact that the foreign population consists of only a few thousand Japanese, 15,000 Chinese, 8,000 Italians, 22,000 Germans, 6,000 Americans and 3,000 Swedes.

Nigerian Ruler Sees First Moving Picture

Accompanied By Favorite Wives Who Were Closely Veiled

The Emir of Katsina, who governs a district of Nigeria many times larger than England, attended a moving picture show the other night in London, for the first time in his life.

The Emir was enthusiastic about the movies. He was accompanied by his two favorite wives, who remained closely veiled throughout the performance. Upon their arrival at the theatre the wives were escorted into the manager's office to wait until the light went down so that they should not be seen by vulgar eyes.

Women should be convinced that men can't be convinced by scolding.

Help for Baby
SCOTT'S EMULSION
Builds Strong Bones

It is against the law to hunt gorillas in the Belgian Congo.

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UNION MINERS HAVE RATIFIED NEW AGREEMENT

Calgary—Alberta union miners have ratified the new working agreement, according to an announcement made by Wm. Sherman, President of District 18, United Mine Workers of America.

President Sherman declined to give the figures of the vote. Lettbridge, Drumheller Valley and parts of the Edmonton field went against the agreement, which passed with a very slim majority. Secretary Robert Peacock will compile figures tomorrow.

The new agreement, which was signed at Calgary by operators and union officials of District 18, calls for a reduction of \$1.17 a day on contract work, and one-eighth (about nine cents a day) for day workers. It contains a three-year contract clause, subject to six months' notice to terminate it by either side after March 31 next.

The strike has been in effect since March 31 last, affecting 8,000 workers in the district, which includes all Alberta and Eastern British Columbia.

Says New Zealand Will Not Arbitrate

Premier Massey Declares Japanese Will Not Be Admitted

Wellington, N.Z.—Premier Massey, in replying to a question by an opposition member in the assembly on the success of Japan's efforts to alter the League of Nations protocol on arbitration and security, in connection with submission to the league of disputes arising from internal domestic considerations of the various nations, declared: "We are not going to arbitrate. We simply say that they cannot come here unless we give permission—League of Nations. That is the law of our country and we will stand by it."

Germany Wants To Keep Zeppelin Works

Agitation Has Increased For Revision Of Treaty Arrangements

Berlin.—The successful completion of the flight to the United States of the ZR-3 has increased the agitation in Germany for a revision of the treaty arrangements regarding the dismantling of the Zeppelin workshops and hangars at Friedrichshafen.

A committee of the German trade and industry congress has adopted a resolution expressing the hope that the works may not be destroyed but retained "to contribute to the peaceful uniting of peoples and to the common task of bringing about a revival of European and universal prosperity."

Dominated By Evil Forces

Duke of Devonshire Refers to Councils Of The Labor Government

London.—The Duke of Devonshire, speaking at Rochdale, declared that dark, sinister and evil forces dominated the councils of the Labor Government, which made gestures to the enemies of civilization.

With regard to the Russian loan, the Duke said there had been mysterious comings and goings, and odd meetings had been held in various rooms and offices, and in a very short time the country, bewildered, suppressed and exasperated, had found out that, despite all denials, a treaty had been effected.

Two Minutes' Silence Nov. 11

Ottawa, Ont.—The usual Armistice Day two-minute silence will be observed on Tuesday, November 11, at eleven o'clock throughout the British Empire. This is in addition to the observance of Armistice Day and Thanksgiving Day on Monday, November 10, in Canada.

Conference On Reparations

Paris.—A conference of all foreign ministers will be held in Paris at an early date to decide on the distribution of payments by Germany, under the Dawes reparation plan.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

White Indians Going To School
Brookville, Ont.—The white Indians, natives of Southern Panama, after spending the summer at the home of R. O. Marsh, their discoverer, near here, during which period they were the subjects of extensive investigation by scientists, have gone to Washington, where they will be placed in a private school preparatory to returning to Panama.

Indian Would Have Representation In Senate

Montreal.—Senatorial representation for the Indian tribes of Canada is a possibility, according to assurance which Dr. J. H. Jacobs, full-blooded Iniquis, says has been given to him by Premier King, Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux and others. Dr. Jacobs, who is medical officer of Caughnawaga, says that the tribes are too scattered to make representation in the Commons possible, and that their only hope of representation is through the Senate.

Excavation Reveals Old Algonquin Grave

Montreal Workmen Find Indian Skeleton Of Great Age

Montreal.—While digging foundations of a new warehouse at Van Horn Avenue and Pratt Street in Outremont, a laborer discovered the skeleton of an Indian brave which is believed to be more than a thousand years old.

The remains were only two feet beneath the surface, in sitting position, head between the knees according to the funeral rites of the ancient Algonquin Indians.

In the opinion of W. H. Atterton, local historian, the finding of the bones may prove a long considered theory that the Indian village of Hochelaga was on the Northwestern side of Mount Royal, near the river, where it is generally believed.

Local authorities declare the discovery is of universal importance and will doubtless arouse much interest on both sides of the Atlantic.

Japs Warned Against Printing False Reports

Propaganda In Mukden Against United States Brings Protest

Mukden, Manchuria.—Propaganda against the United States printed in the Japanese press here, in which it is stated that United States citizens had landed arms in China and United States soldiers were fighting in the Peking armies resisting the offensive of Gen. Chang Tso-Lin, Manchurian leader, brought a personal protest from Capt. Norman Baldwin, official United States military observer here. As a result the Japanese consul at Mukden has agreed to issue a warning to all Japanese papers here to suppress false reports.

Trade Agreement Not Effective Yet

Australian Pact Is To Be Submitted To Parliament

Ottawa, Ont.—The new trade agreement recently concluded between Canada and Australia is not going into operation for some time yet. It would be possible to bring it into effect by an order-in-council proclamation, and it was announced recently that the Dominion Government was ready to take this action. The present intention, however, is that the treaty will be effective only after submission to parliament and the prospect is, at least, understood to be in accord with the view of the Australian Government.

Industrial Disputes

205,634 Working Days Lost During September

Ottawa.—There were, at some time during September, eight industrial disputes, involving 8,501 employees and a time loss of 205,634 working days, as compared with 16 disputes in August involving 10,469 workers and resulting in a time loss of 223,572 working days. Reports from the offices of the Employment Service of Canada show that at the beginning of September the percentage of unemployment among members of trade unions stood at 6.5, as compared with 5.4 at the beginning of August, and 2.2 at the beginning of September of last year.

Canadian War Graves

London.—Ranney MacDonald has arranged for Major-General Sir Paban Ware, head of the imperial graves commission, to visit Canada, and make a tour through the country with the aid of the movies, dealing with the Canadian war graves in France. He will leave England early in November, visiting Montreal, Toronto, Ottawa and Winnipeg, and probably will go through to the Pacific coast.

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Australian Surgeons Claim New Discovery

Believe Rigid Paralysis Can Be Cured By Operation

Chicago.—An operation which is believed to offer a partial cure for rigid paralysis was performed here by Dr. J. G. Hunter, professor of anatomy, and Dr. N. D. Royle, orthopedic surgeon. Both men are attached to the University of Australia. Dr. Hunter, who is 27 years old, is reputed to be the discoverer of the method whereby the operation is performed.

It was explained that the operation is only effective in cases of rigid paralysis, where the patient suffers a twisted or deformed limb which he is unable to control. The surgeon's finger from the spinal branch the nerves that cause the rigidity of the muscles. The limb is then loosened and can be controlled only by actual thought. No reflex action remains and the limb must be educated to function, as does a baby's hand.

TROUBLE OVER CROW'S NEST RATE DECISION

Ottawa.—Hon. George P. Graham, minister of railways and acting premier, declined to discuss the situation that arises out of the judgment of the railway commission in the Crow's Nest rates case. "I have nothing to say," he remarked.

In government circles generally it is admitted that the judgment creates a situation that is awkward and delicate.

The Crow's Nest agreement went into operation at the scheduled time, and the private provinces which secured what they maintain they are entitled to, but when this happened, discriminations and disparities were created and gave rise to protests from governments or public bodies in the east as well as British Columbia in the west. The railway commission now intervenes and seeks to remedy the situation and remove the discrimination by the expedient of wiping out that part of the agreement effective last July, the part that relates to commodity rates from the east to the west. Grain and flour rates eastward are not interfered with, but the board's judgment means that it has the right to do so.

Whether or not there is an appeal to the Supreme Court, the question assuredly will come up in parliament. Undoubtedly there will be proposals for a compromise, consisting of the maintenance of the Crow's Nest rates on grain and flour eastward, but reverting to the old rates westward, or, if not these exactly, at least to a scale which will be uniform, and not discriminatory. The situation will be aggravated by the potential political capital that is involved in it.

Emphasis will be laid on the fact that while the agreement is with the C.P.R., the Canadian National will be able to follow suit and be the more actively affected of the two. Thus, it will be argued, public ownership may be imperilled by demands from that part of the country where the principle of it is most vigorously supported.

Big Flow of Gas From Oil Gusher
Calgary.—Royalty No. 4 well, near Black Diamond, in the Turner valley field, 40 miles southwest of Calgary, blew in with a tremendous flow of gas, estimated at 19,000,000 cubic feet daily. There is a small quantity of light oil spraying out with the big gas flow. The Northwest Company, the development branch of the Imperial Oil, Limited, which has been conducting a deep drilling test on the well, is allowing the gas to flow on the chance that the well will drill itself in to a real oil producer.

Pension Scheme For Teachers

Calgary.—Establishment of a teachers' pension scheme in Alberta met with the definite approval of the Calgary Public School Teachers' Alliance at a general meeting here. A resolution urging the adoption of the scheme upon the executive of the alliance was adopted unanimously, and the Calgary alliance will seek the co-operation of other locals in bringing it into effect.

Healthy Liver Healthy Life

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Settles Claim With Germany



HON. RAUL DANDURAND

Hon. Raoul Dandurand, minister without portfolio in the Canadian Government and Canada's senior representative at the League of Nations Assembly this year, who completed the adjustment of war claims between the clearing houses of Canada and Germany. The settlement enables Canada to close its war claims office in Germany.

Wembley Exhibition Shows Gross Profit

Figures Will Amaze Public Says Chairman of Committee

London.—In toasting the exhibition officials at the Lord Mayor's dinner at the Mansion House in honor of the British Empire exhibition administration and the overseas representatives at which every part of the Empire was represented, Right Hon. J. H. Thomas, secretary for the colonies, in replying to a toast, said that the government's actions on certain matters were tending towards disintegration of empire, pleaded, amid loud applause, that the Empire be not made the by-play of party politics. The colonial office should be as free of party bias as the foreign office.

When the figures for attendance and cost of the administration of the Wembley show were published, showing a large gross profit, the people would be amazed at what the exhibition had done, according to the claim of Sir James Stevenson, chairman of the standing committee of the exhibition, who spoke for the officials of the big fair.

While a decision had not yet been reached by the Dominions on the proposal to re-open the exhibition next year, he was very hopeful that they would agree to another run.

Build Big Elevator

Sask. Co-operative Elevator Co. To Erect Plant In Buffalo

Regina.—Plans for the erection of a terminal transfer elevator at Buffalo, N.Y., by the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Co., Ltd., were made public by F. W. Riddell, general manager. The elevator will have a capacity of 1,100,000 bushels and will be built at a cost of approximately \$800,000. It is expected that the plant will be ready for operation by Aug. 1, 1925.

The completion of the Buffalo plant will see the forging of the first link of the organization, which will permit the shipment of grain direct from the farm to overseas markets. The new transfer plant will occupy 12 acres of land.

New Era In Transportation

Arrival of Dirigible Marks Beginning Of An Economic Revolution

Lakhurst, N.J.—The arrival of the ZR-3 opens a new era in world transportation and may mark the beginning of an economic revolution. Captain Anton Heinen, noted Zeppelin expert, told the United Press here. "Within 25 years aircraft will be used as commonly as automobiles today. The dirigible will prove the strongest impulse the world has ever known for world-wide brotherhood through improving communications between distant places."

Escaped Leper Visits Washington

Washington.—The men on duty at police headquarters received a shock when Willard Centilever, escaped leper from the federal colony at Carlville, La., walked in and said he had been commissioned by the 350 inmates there to come to Washington and protest against conditions in the colony. He was quarantined.

Crown Prince To Study

London.—The Crown Prince of Norway has entered Balliol College, Oxford, as an under-graduate under conditions which compel him to reside in the usual students' houses and restrict his reception of visitors to allotted hours. His course will include political economy, civics and international law.

Will Let League Decide On Irak Controversy

London.—The foreign office announced that the failure of Great Britain and Turkey to reach an agreement on the Irak controversy, or on the interpretation of the resolution on the subject adopted September 30th by the Council of the League of Nations, had resulted in a decision to refer the question back to the council for a decision. The necessary steps, it was stated, were being taken to inform the general secretary of the league. In the meantime, it is understood, neither side will advance its forces beyond the line now occupied.

New Canadian Pacific Lines

Extensions to Serve Tisdale, Wadena and Melfort

The Canadian Pacific have added to the system during the past two years 427 miles of new lines in the west. These lines tap rich farming communities and include extensions for Cutknife to Urwin, Nacaim to Melfort, Tuffnell to Wadena and Tisdale, Wymark to Codrington, Mildred to McMoran, Groulx to Melfort, Groulx to Melfort and Melfort to Melfort.

The Tisdale-Wadena line connects at Shebo and the Melfort-Nacaim line at Langdon, with the Yorkton-Saskatoon-Edmonton lines of the Canadian Pacific, thus affording a new direct route to Southern, Eastern and Pacific Coast ports.

Regular passenger train service has been established by the company on all these lines.

FRANCE WOULD DISMANTLE THE ZEPPELIN WORKS

Paris.—The French reaction to the successful flight of the ZR-3 is a feeling that Germany should be called upon immediately to dismantle the Zeppelin works at Friedrichshafen as provided by the Treaty of Versailles.

The French Government, however, is understood to be reluctant to place the subject before the ambassadors' council at this moment, because immense interest is aroused over the arrival of the dirigible.

The question whether Germany should be allowed to build any more Zeppelins as large as the ZR-3 is within the province of the ambassadors' council to decide. The council, with great reluctance and after six months' insistence by the United States ambassador, gave permission to build the ZR-3, it being understood by all the governments represented on the council that this was an exception which could not be taken in future as a precedent.

Ambassador Herriek obtained the consent of the ambassadors' council to a ship of 70,000 cubic meters capacity. The council, disregarding the collective negative opinion of the inter-allied military high commission, which ruled against the request because military opinion was absolutely opposed to authorizing Germany to perfect an air fleet. When Mr. Herriek took the question up with his individual colleagues on the ambassadors' council, all four governments, British, French, Italian and Belgian, denied having taken the initiative in the refusal and placed the responsibility on the others. Japan preserved an attitude of reserve.

Loses Life In Arctic

Reported That Constable Ian MacDonald Was Drowned On August 18th

Edmonton.—Constable Ian N. MacDonald, of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, was drowned in the Arctic Ocean on August 18, according to mail received via San Francisco by Major James Ritchie, officer commanding the local division of the force.

Constable MacDonald was on board the schooner Mack of Orient, owned and commanded by Captain Klengenberg, old-timer of the furthest north. The constable's death occurred while the vessel was off the mouth of the Indian River, north of Herschel Island.

Weekly Budget Cost

Ottawa.—The cost per week of a list of 29 staple foods for an average family of five in Canada, according to figures published in the current issue of the Labor Gazette was \$10.28 at the beginning of September, as compared with \$10.19 for August, \$10.16 for September, 1923, and \$7.53 for September, 1914.

Boys Unearth Treasure

Winnipeg.—Gold coins, some of them of ancient value, and jeweled ornaments, the value of which probably \$2,000, were unearthed from a cache on the banks of the Red River by boys playing on the river bank here. Their ownership is unknown.

U. S. HAS A PEACE MESSAGE FOR GERMANY

Washington.—The ZR-3 was declared by Secretary Wilbur, speaking in behalf of the navy, to be "a symbol of peace and friendship between her owners, and other nations." To further define her role, he said the ship would be christened "Los Angeles" when the government formally takes possession.

Mr. Wilbur's announcement was made in the course of a speech at a luncheon to Dr. Hugo Eckener, head of the German Zeppelin Company, and several executives of the air cruiser during their visit to Washington. The party was received by President Coolidge, who reiterated the congratulations he had telegraphed on the arrival of the ZR-3 at Lakehurst, and, after a conference with the national advisory council for aeronautics, the party returned to Lakehurst to resume supervision of activities at the field.

Announcing his selection of "Los Angeles" as the future name of the Shenandoah's consort, Secretary Wilbur expressed the hope it may not only be a constant reminder of the Anglo's song, but also that on each Christmas eve from the place the heavens the song may again be broadcast to the world: "Peace to men of good-will." The visit of ZR-3 was of great significance, he said, assuring the German officials that the flag which would replace theirs on the ship's foremast would be that of a nation "honestly desiring the prosperity and happiness of all the German people."

Later addressing the advisory council, Dr. Eckener predicted the "certain development" of trans-oceanic transportation along the lines pioneered by the ZR-3. In answer to questions, he said that type of ship was the logical carrier for the new trade because of the measure of comfort afforded, its safety in all weather, and the ease of improvements along necessary lines.

Ex-Service Man Greets General

Major-Gen. Trotter Grips Hands With Old Comrade

Toronto.—While Prince of Wales party were proceeding along the Union Station platform, Assistant Baggage-man Jack Houghton stopped Major-Gen. Trotter.

"Excuse me, sir," said Houghton, saluting the general, "I did not know whether I should speak to you or not. I'm Jack Houghton, who served in your company in South Africa. I was with you the day you lost your arm."

"Never be afraid or ashamed to speak to an officer of the British army any time or place you meet him," said the general, as they gripped hands as only old comrades can.

Rand Discoverer Dies a Pauper

Johnstonburg, South Africa.—George Walker, discoverer of the richest gold reef in South Africa in 1885, died here recently, a pauper. He had been supported for several years by the chamber of mines in recognition of his discovery.

Much Cool In Arctic

Seattle.—Discovery of vast deposits of coal within the Arctic Circle in Alaska is reported by Dr. Phillips Smith, of Washington, D.C., geologist of the United States geological survey, who has just returned here.

MRS. ALBERT BLUNT



KIDNEY TROUBLE?

The Kidneys are the Blood Filters. When They Weaken and Stop Up, the System Becomes Overloaded With Uric Acid.

Toronto, Ont.—"I can highly recommend Dr. Pierce's Anuric (anti-uric acid) Tablets to all those who suffer in any way with their kidneys or bladder. Anuric is by far the best medicine of the kind I have ever taken. My kidneys were congested and inflamed, my back ached something awful, my bladder was weak and I suffered from a scalding and burning sensation. I was almost down and out—but, thanks to Doctor Pierce's Anuric (kidney) Tablets I do not suffer any more. Those who suffer as I did will find Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets the best medicine for kidney trouble."—Mrs. Albert Blunt, of Boston, Mass.

Ask your nearest druggist for Anuric, the best form, or send 10 cents to Doctor Pierce's Laboratory in Bridgeburg, Ont. for trial package. Write Dr. Pierce, Pres. Invalide Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for free medical advice.

Development Of The Northland

Trade and Civilization Advancing Into Northern Areas Of Canada

Trade and civilization are steadily, if slowly, advancing down the Mackenzie valley, and the inhabitants of that extensive region are being brought more into touch each year with the outside world. An officer of the North West Territories and Yukon Branch of the Department of the Interior made an inspection of the Upper Mackenzie and the Great Slave Lake districts during the past summer and reported conditions of transportation, trade, hunting, health of inhabitants, education, etc., satisfactory, and the herd of wild wood buffalo, which has its habitat in the country west of Fort Smith, to be thriving and increasing in number.

The route of travel into the country is by railway from Edmonton to Waterways, thence by boat down the Athabasca and Slave Rivers to Great Slave Lake; and the Mackenzie River. A good deal of the inspection work on this occasion was done by means of a gasoline launch in visiting such points as Resolution and Hay River at the southwest end of Great Slave Lake, Providence on the Mackenzie River, and Yellowknife River and Fort Rae on the north arm of Great Slave Lake. Care had to be exercised in the navigation of such a small boat across the wide stretches of the lake. Navigation has, however, been improved by aids in the form of buoys and beacons and by the building of wharves at Yellowknife and Resolution. The far-ranging animals during last winter were reported to be about the average in number. The hospitals and schools are efficiently conducted and the number of pupils has increased. Wherever cultivation was carried on, garden vegetables and flowers were growing in profusion, and at several points where there were farms, cereals and roots promised a good yield. Prospecting for minerals, including petroleum, is steadily prosecuted but no large "strikes" have been recorded recently.

One of the most important developments of the year was the establishment of a wireless station at Simpson. When this is fully completed working communication can be maintained between Dawson, Yukon Territory and Edmonton. This will be of great service to all persons having business in the Territories, and it is expected that as soon as regular communication is established, wireless stations will be installed on the steamers plying the Mackenzie so that all travellers will be in receipt of daily news from the outside world. The loss of the Hudson's Bay Company ship, the Lady Klondike, which was caught in the ice, north of Point Barrow, Alaska, with a complete wireless outfit, for Herschel, will delay the erection of that station, but will not affect the operation of the other four stations at Dawson, Mayo, Simpson and Edmonton. The first two have been in operation for a year and the last two will be in operation and prepared to accept commercial and other messages about the end of October.

A Mighty Appetite

Giant Collier Could Polish Off a Fair-Sized Meal

In robust ages and in a more primitive society there used to be much popular interest in the sort of competition in which the prize went to the man who could dispose of the largest amount of food in a given time. A contest of that sort, says the Argonaut, was organized in a mining town in the north of England. One competitor, a giant collier, six feet in height and broad in proportion, succeeded in disposing of a leg of mutton, a plentiful supply of vegetables and a plum pudding, washed down with copious draughts of ale.

He was unanimously declared the winner and was being triumphantly escorted home when he turned to his admirers and said:

"Oh, lads, say, don't say nowt of this to my old woman, or she won't let me no dinner!"—The Youth's Companion.

Strawberries In Alberta

Strawberries have been grown successfully for many years at the Fairbank experimental station. The yields have been exceptionally good with a very few exceptions and the quality of the fruit has been very high. Senator Dunlop has proven to be the best variety. Over five-year periods this variety has yielded an average of 6,000 pounds of the berries per acre. Several other varieties have also given fairly good results over a period of several years.

His Motive

"You do not seem suited to each other at all. How did you come to marry her?"

"Oh, she seemed to take a dislike to me when we first met, and I wanted to show her she was mistaken."

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Natural Resources Bulletin

The Necessity For Accurate Surveys Is Shown With Growth Of Country

The Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa says:

While Canada has a large area of land, amounting to approximately 3,662,910 square miles, and it would seem that there should be plenty for everybody, at reasonable prices, the settlement of certain portions and its use for business purposes has greatly increased its value. In business centres, particularly, prices have reached such a height that the necessity for accurate surveys shows the importance of this work, and while, to the unthinking, the matter of a difference of a foot more or less need hardly be considered, a few years—a comparatively brief space in the life of a nation—may mean the establishment of a community that will rapidly become a metropolis, and a consequent enhancement of values to unbelievable heights.

When Captain Miles Macdonell, in 1812, took formal possession of the land set at the junction of the Red and Assiniboine Rivers he no doubt little thought that he was laying the foundation of the present city of Winnipeg. Land in those days was of comparatively little value, and for many years it could be bought at what was even in the early days, low prices. In 1822, when the Hudson's Bay Company built Fort Charles, the difference of a foot or two on Main Street was not considered of importance, while even in 1871 the population of 241 did not need to haggle over land measurement.

The surveys of those early days, however, understood the value of accuracy. They could not foresee the coming of the present great city with its 200,000 population, but their work, nevertheless, forms the basis for the network of streets that make up the city. Property on the corner of Portage Avenue and Main Street, the early camping ground of Indians trading their furs, is today some of the most valuable in Canada, running into many thousands of dollars per foot frontage, and even the block of frontage represents great value.

With the extension of railways, and the opening up of new areas, what its farm land today may early become a city, and what in Western Canada may today be bare waste, in a comparatively few years may be another Winnipeg.

Canada's greatest natural resource is her lands, and on the surveyor must she depend for the accurate subdivision of that land, that future citizens may not have cause for dispute over measurement.

Can Identify Apple Trees By Their Leaves

New Method of Identification Will Prove of Importance

The identification of varieties of apple trees, previous to bearing, from the character of the leaves, is being undertaken by the Horticultural Division of the Dominion Experimental Farms Branch, according to the report of the director. Up to the present time it has been found possible to identify sixteen varieties in this way. A system whereby the variety may be determined from the leaves of the tree, and without waiting for the fruit, will be of great practical value to the orchardist as well as to the nurseryman. It is not infrequently happens that trees prove untrue to name when they come into bearing. By the system referred to, it will no longer be necessary to wait for five to eight years until this stage is reached, but the young orchard may be gone over the year after planting and the true variety discovered. By the same method the nurseryman may positively identify his stock and thus prevent loss and disappointment to purchasers.

Japs Not Using Jimirikisha

Tokio Living At High Speed Needs Faster Vehicle

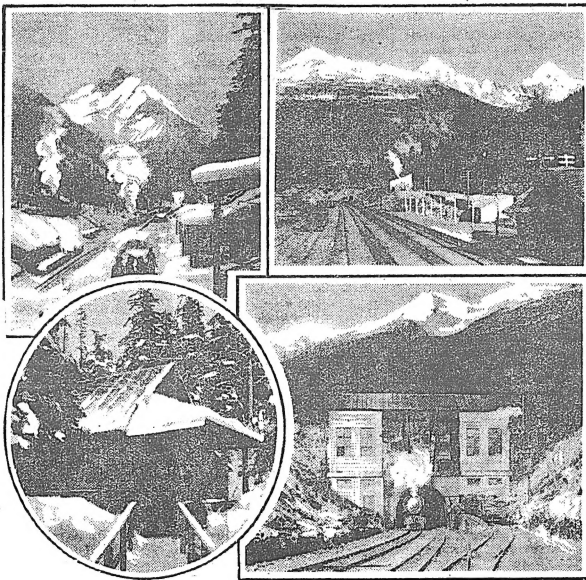
The Jimirikisha, inseparably associated with the fiction of song and story, is passing over in the land of its origin. Official figures prove this. Recently officials of the city's statistical bureau counted the traffic passing Owaricho, Tokyo's busy street. The average minute saw ten trams cross the intersection, eight passenger automobiles, four motor trucks, eight hand cars, 36 bicycles, 122 pedestrians and one lone Jimirikisha.

The comparatively higher speed at which Tokyo now lives, and the high cost of manpower, are causes for the passing of the Jimirikisha.

Some Immigration Figures

Immigration figures for the four months April to July inclusive, show that 61,022 immigrants entered Canada in the period, as compared with 54,912 during the same period of 1923. Of this total 33,348 came from the British Isles, 7,665 from the United States, and 25,770 from other countries.

LINING THE CONNAUGHT TUNNEL



Upper left.—In spite of heavy snowfalls and below zero weather the work of lining the Connaught Tunnel is continued throughout the winter months. The cloud-wrapped heights of Mount Abbott and Ross Peak stand as western sentinels of the little town.

Upper right.—Glacier, B.C., showing Mount Macdonald, 9,482 feet, through which the five-mile Connaught Tunnel passes. Eagle Peak, 9,353, is in the centre of the picture and Mount Sir Donald, one of the most beautiful peaks in the Canadian Rockies, with an altitude of 10,808 feet, is on the extreme right.

Lower left.—The resident engineer's bungalow nestles among giant evergreens on the banks of the Illecillewaet River.

Lower right.—Western Portal of the Connaught Tunnel, showing the fan house and the two huge 14 ft. steel fans which ventilate the "big hole."

High up on the crest of the lofty Selkirk with half a dozen of the finest mountain peaks in the world hunching their snow-capped shoulders about its rows of trim brown houses, lies the picturesque town of Glacier on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway through British Columbia. Three and a half miles distant from this little construction centre, which has virtually been called into being through the lining of the Connaught Tunnel, hangs the great Illecillewaet Glacier on the slopes of Mount Macdonald and two miles nearer nestles Glacier House, the annual mecca of thousands of summer tourists.

Few of the surrounding peaks at Glacier are less than 9,000 feet in altitude. The famous chieftains, Mount Sir Donald, Ross, Eagle and Abbott Peaks encircle the little settlement. In winter time a blanket of snow enfolds town and mountains alike. In spring the brilliant yellow wild lilacs follow the ever-receding snow line as it climbs higher and higher up the mountain sides. Life is enlivened in the summer time by the crowds of greats who throng Glacier House and transform the scene again with generous splashes of orange, crimson and russet.

Common interest in the great engineering project under way has brought about a very definite community spirit at Glacier. For almost every youngster's daddy works in the big tunnel in one or other of the various branches of work which the lining demands, and every household is regulated by a schedule of working hours which begin at 5 a.m. and end at 1.15. Half a hundred children attend the little brown school house and various clubs for the grown-ups provide interests of a recreational and cultural nature.

Engineers, foremen, carpenters, machinists, drillers, electricians, laborers and train crews make up the wage earners among the 600 residents of Glacier. Single men live in a well ordered camp. Here, as in the little homes where the men with families

live, all the conveniences of a modern city are enjoyed including electric lights and running water piped from a nearby mountain stream.

The lining of this five-mile tunnel, the longest on the American continent, with a steel reinforced concrete jacket, represents one of the most interesting engineering projects now under way anywhere in the world.

Beneath 6,000 feet of mountain the Connaught Tunnel cuts under Mount Macdonald between the stations of Connaught and Glacier. With the opening of this underground short-cut in 1916 the Canadian Pacific Railway overcame the many difficulties which had been necessary on the slopes of Mount Macdonald were dispensed with.

The lining of the "big hole" was begun in 1920 and when this work is completed the Connaught Tunnel will stand as one of the finest and most complete engineering jobs in the universe. Undertaken in the name of safety, the Connaught Tunnel has always been a "safety first" proposition. Throughout its construction days, during the eight years it has been in operation and the four years that it has already taken to line it, it has been singularly free from accident.

Nearly 500,000 sacks of Canadian cement will have gone into the lining of the Connaught Tunnel when it is finished. Practically all the machinery used in the work is Canadian made, including the huge compressors and powerful motors. The four types of reinforced steel collapsible forms, which are used in the various stages of the lining process, came from a Western Canadian plant and the Sydney E. Jenkins Company, Ltd., limited, construction engineers are in charge of its lining.

The tunnel's concrete jacket is completed in sections 22 feet long, each section taking about four or five days to prepare, when it is sometimes necessary to do considerable blasting one day to fill with concrete and three days in which to set. Six complete sets of forms are at work within the tunnel which means a completed section for every working day in the week, or a total of 132 feet in six days.

More than 100 powerful flood lamps illuminate the tunnel at these working points. Owing to the remarkable ventilating system, which in itself is one of the most interesting and important features of the tunnel, working conditions are excellent. At the western portal two great steel fans, driven by two 500 h.p. four-cylinder semi-diesel engines, turn at the rate of 255 revolutions a minute driving a brisk breeze through the five-mile length of this great underground passage. The ventilation thus created makes it possible for trains to pass through the tunnel with practically no discomfort to passengers and for workmen to remain at their tasks for eight consecutive hours without detriment to health or vigor.

One comes upon many surprising things in the course of a walk through the great double-tracked tunnel. Grains of wheat fallen from the thousands of cars of Canada's 1923 bumper crop, which have passed through on their way to the port of Vancouver, have taken root for many days within each portal and the tiny field mice ever in search of provender scampers across the tracks within the very heart of the tunnel. At two points in the tunnel wall doors lead through the solid quartzite rock to the pioneer bore and here in this miniature underground world two brilliantly illuminated and immaculate "white lunches." White capped chefs preside in these underground restaurants dispensing steaming bowls of soup and fragrant coffee to the small army of workers who are bringing to completion the lining of the Connaught Tunnel.

His Useful Topper

A visitor to the Governor's Hills, seeing a man working in the fields wearing a top hat, ventured to inquire why he wore that peculiar headgear. "Because," replied the man, "it is the usefulness of it as is. When I first got on I wears it to church, and when 'o' gets too shabby I wears it on at work 'ere and when I can't wear no no longer I uses it for a later measure, and then when the bottom comes out of it I puts a stick in the ground and 'angs' on it to scare away the crows."—Boston Transcript.

A Little Mixed

The school teacher had written on the board the questions: "What day was yesterday?" and "What day is today?" and the little girl gave these philosophical answers. "Yesterday was today yesterday. Today will be yesterday tomorrow."

Here Comes the Bride

He—"You should see the new altar in our church."

She—"Lead me to it!"

Wheat And Cows

The Only Sure Foundation For the Agriculturist Is Mixed Farming

The popular index to prosperity used to be the full dinner pail. The farmers of Minnesota have changed it to the full milk pail. The dairy products of Minnesota last year brought in the farmers nine times as much as their wheat did. The poultry products of the state sold for \$10,000,000 more than its wheat crop. Widespread adoption of balanced farming has made the state of Minnesota an oasis of prosperity in a one-crop desert. The danger that Minnesota now faces is that the prosperity of the dairy farmers will induce others to "plunge." What has to be fought is the tendency to unbalance farming by trying to develop dairying too fast. They do not have to encourage farmers in Minnesota to keep cows. They have rather to discourage them from starting in with dairying on too large a scale and without adequate previous experience. They have learned that the foundation of success in agriculture is balanced farming, which doesn't mean all dairying any more than it does all grain growing.

We are differently situated in this province. There is no present danger of farming in Saskatchewan being unbalanced by dairying. The danger is in the direction of farming remaining unbalanced, as a result of the persistence of thousands of farmers in staking their hopes on grain growing alone. What has recently touched the highest point since 1921. The farmers who had a good crop this year and harvested in good condition, will make money out of it. A good many of them will probably increase their wheat acreage next year while others will be lured by the present remunerative prices to follow their example. Whenever the price of wheat reaches a point where it returns a substantial profit to the producer, a plunge in wheat growing follows.

What the farmers of Saskatchewan should consider this season is not the high prices a comparatively small number of them will receive for their wheat, but the predicament in which thousands of other farmers find themselves, who had little or no crop or whose crop was badly damaged by the weather in the cutting or threshing stage. Anyone who has been thinking of buying a few cows and pigs and chickens and thus making his farm at least self-sustaining should not be deterred from doing so by the hope that if he plays wheat again next year he will win. The story of farming in Saskatchewan during half a century contains few instances of men profiting in the end by putting all their money on one horse.

Wheat and other grain growing with profit has been a matter of many years to the chieft and most spectacular feature of farming in Saskatchewan; but unless it is balanced by dairying and poultry and livestock raising it will continue to be the gamble it has always been. The dividends will be irregular and uncertain. A few farmers may prosper but the many will go on the rocks. The sooner every farm in the province has some cows and pigs and chickens on it the sooner will farming in Saskatchewan be placed on the only foundation that has ever carried the industry successfully.—Regina Leader.

History In Stamps

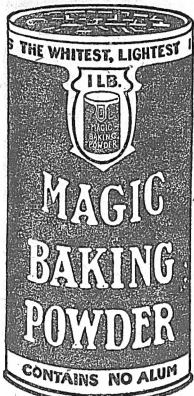
French Ten-Year Series Records Story of World War

Stamps teach geography to those who collect them, but the war stamps teach history as well. When war broke out France issued a new stamp to lead the Red Cross. It was the first of a ten-year series on whose faces are stamped the story of the entry of nations into the war, their triumphs and their tragedies, their failures and their enterprises, their emergence after long suffering into peace and their efforts to reconstruct the world.

There are stamps, for example, which tell how Germany's colonists felt away from her, how Baghdad fell into British hands and Belgium into German. Others speak of Bulgarians in Rumania, or Turks in Sinai, or Indians in Brazil. Beyond these stamps which, after the Treaty of Versailles, told of the birth of new countries or the annexation of territories. The Ruhr French stamps and all the many air stamps, as well as the bi-centenary stamps of Brazil, are additional footnotes to history.

Ice Cream In Labrador

Ice cream was recently served in Labrador on board an American destroyer. The captain, hearing that there was an iceberg in the vicinity, had a sudden hankering for something cold. He visited the berg and returned with a quantity of cracked ice. Presently the freezer was turned merrily, and there was ice cream on the bill of fare. If the captain should visit the jungles of Africa, would he hanker for hot lemonade?—Youth's Companion.



WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The legislative assembly at Melbourne, Australia, passed a bill providing for a compulsory wheat pool.

Hon. R. D. Bennett, L.L.D., K.C., of Calgary, was elected director of the Royal Bank of Canada.

Eighty-five thousand Spanish soldier recruits are to be called to the colors.

Senior Raoul Dandurand signed for Canada the settlement respecting the German Government respecting enemy debt.

Despite his total blindness, Alfred Hetu, Montreal basket maker, battled with a fire in his home and extinguished the flames unaided.

Advices received at Ottawa indicate that the mission abroad of W. T. R. Preston, designed to secure an immediate reduction in cattle rates had not been successful.

During the past 18 years Alberta's population has increased four-fold, and the grain production has increased twenty-fold. The total agricultural products of Alberta in 1922 were worth \$223,000,000.

The Governor of Tyrol, Dr. Stumpf, who recently made remarks which the Italian Government considered offensive to the people and army of Italy, has apologized to the Italian consul at Innsbruck, the Austrian Government simultaneously expressing regret to Rome.

The exportable stocks of wheat in Argentina on October 1 amounted to 27,000,000 bushels. Those of Australia on September 1 amounted to 8,000,000 bushels.

In Ireland, the yield of flax seed is expected to be of low quality, and that of flax fibre medium to poor.

Manitoba's output of butter will be a million and a half pounds more than that of last year, according to L. A. Gibson, provincial dairy commissioner, who stated that the manufacture of butter in this province is not only increasing but that the quality is improving.

The death sentence has been carried into effect at Leningrad, Russia, against the former officers Loutzko and Jilinski, who were convicted by a military tribunal of the furnishing of information regarding the red army to Polish and French military authorities. Appeals for clemency on their behalf were refused by the federal executive.

The fish-hook cactus is a trust-worthy compass of the desert, as, no matter how hot the sun, it always points towards the south.

The atmospheric pressure on the body of the average man is 32,100 pounds.

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"My trouble began with red blotches and itching and burning on my arms and face, and then eczema broke out with a rash. My face was disfigured and my clothing aggravated the breaking out on my arms. I could not put my hands in water, neither could I do my regular work. At night I lost my rest on account of the irritation."

"The trouble lasted about a month. I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment and they helped me and after using two cakes of Cuticura Soap and two boxes of Cuticura Ointment I was completely healed." (Signed) Mrs. Leon Hallock, 104 Atkins St., Belknap Falls, Vt.

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The Russian Failure

Degeneration Which Will Bring a Reversion to the Middle Ages. Alibis for failure, justified to some extent at the beginning of the experiment, are no longer valid. A consciousness is dawning that blockades by wars and revolutions cannot be blamed for all the miseries which the present low standard of living entails. Furthermore, the steady shrinkage in productivity, the decreasing harvests, and the increasing unemployment are giving rise to serious doubts as to whether Russia as a Communist state can survive in a world of ordinary mortals. Credit must be given to the experiment for certain liberties it has brought to the great mass of the Russian peasants, but as an offset to that must be placed the consistent degeneration in Russian economic life. In the long run, the practice of the Communist leaders must change or that reversion to the Middle Ages; cities, the symbols of a highly organized community, will disappear; and the individual will exist and revolve within his own sphere of production—Independent.

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Many Use "Free" Insulin

299 Patients Treated So Far Through Policy of Ontario Government. The Ontario Government's policy of free insulin, for diabetic sufferers unaffordable to the people and army of Italy, has cost \$434,514 in the first twelve months of its operation. Statistics to this effect have been issued by the Provincial Department of Health. The cost of insulin has been steadily reduced from \$14.16 per patient per month to \$7.03 per patient per month.

In August last, which was the end of the first year of the free distribution of the treatment, 299 patients were being supplied.

HIS HEART WEAK HIS NERVES BAD

Mr. Edwin Connell, Porterville, Ont., writes:—"My nerves were in a very bad condition and the least little thing would irritate me very much."

My heart was better and after the slightest exertion it would start to flutter.

A Friend Advised Me To Take Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills

so I got six boxes and took them regularly, and since then I have not had the slightest sign of any trouble with either my heart or nerves, and I will always recommend H. & N. Pills to all those who are suffering from any form of heart or nerve trouble."

You can procure Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills from any druggist or dealer.

They are put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Russian Churches Now Museums

Magnificent Religious Edifices Turned Over For Exhibition Purposes. The appearance of Russia's spiritual life last reaches a sensational point. Where magnificent religious edifices welcomed their thousands of worshippers, museums will welcome, at a price, curious visitors. St. Isaac's was turned over for exhibition purposes and now the famous Cathedral of Kazan, one of the greatest buildings of its kind in the world, is to set up the turnstile and become an art museum.

The Russia of today forgets the noble chapters of her past. One may travel far to find such cases of national coldness toward spiritual values. Christendom will note the pathos and the terrible tragedy of it all—Los Angeles Times.

"I would face death for you." "Why didn't you face that buldog then?" "He wasn't dead."

Minard's Liniment for Sprains and Bruises

Air Chief's Prediction

Trans-Atlantic Air Service Probable Says Vice-Marshal Branner. Regular trans-Atlantic airship service between England and America is expected within a few years by Sir Sefton Branner, air vice-marshal. He estimates two and a half days for the regular scheduled time of the trip across the Atlantic. Airships will be the pioneers in establishing this service, but eventually airplanes may become practicable for such flight, he said.

Sir Sefton also thinks bi-weekly airship service between England and India and Australia, eleven days for the trip, and weekly service to Capetown in five and a half days, will be established before many years.

"Two and a half to three years will pass before the first two big ships are flying," he said, "and after that it may be another two years before the airship service to India in a regular, steady bi-weekly basis can be established."

The British air ministry is now working to produce aircraft that can be operated more cheaply. Experiments are now being made with a heavy-oil engine, which, if successful will do to airplanes what the Ford did to automobiles—make an airplane within the financial reach of almost everybody.

Memorial For Kitchener

Orkney Islanders Raising Subscription Amongst Themselves For This Purpose

In the rather remarkable absence of any general movement to commemorate the late Lord Kitchener's dramatic death on the immediate rise in the Orkney Islands, who much prefer to call themselves the Orcadians, are raising a public subscription amongst themselves to erect a suitable memorial to the great soldier of the Empire. This memorial is to be placed on the summit of Marwick Road, a great sheer cliff, 300 feet high, overlooking the storm-ridden sea, in two miles of where H.M.S. Hampshire, on the fatal and perilous night of June 5, eight years ago, sank beneath the waves in the darkness of the night. In its wild grandeur the scene of this Orkney memorial somewhat recalls the savage solemnity of Cecil Rhodes' grave amidst the everlasting silences of the Mopopo Hills.

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No pain, no cutting, no plasters to press the sore spot. Putnam's Corn Extractor makes the corn go with the pain. Special directions on each package tell you how it is done. Takes out all the stage; it separates the corn from the good flesh, lifts it out root and branch. Refuse a substitute and insist on Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor; it's guaranteed. 25c at all dealers.



One On the Boss

Unusual Activity In Automobile Trading Exposed His Secret. In these days of big business deals and over-night fortunes, one is not surprised at anything, but—

In the peaceful quietude of the noon-hour recess from the bustle of business, the boss of a big commercial establishment was enjoying the fragrance of his after lunch cheroot. The door of his private office stood slightly ajar, and from beyond came the occasional bustle of the office boy and the one clerk left behind to guide the progress of the business during the lunch hour. Suddenly through the open window behind him came voices—

"You told you one of my Marmons for a Ford!"

Here was a lie business to be sure, but there must be a catch in it somewhere. The business man rubbed his eyes. Was he dreaming? But the reply was even more astonishing.

"I haven't got a Ford to spare, but I tell you what, I've got two Hudsons and a Studebaker I don't want, and I'll swap you for a Chevrolet."

Here was big business with a vengeance; the commercial man decided he must get to the perpetrators of such a little bargaining. He tipped to the open window. Below on the sidewalk was his office boy with a telegraph messenger. They were swapping Guinca Gold Cigarette cards in an effort to complete a series.

He returned to the elgar, muttering, "They're on me."

What Universities Can Give. Nine out of ten farmers in the province do not know what the university can give them—do not know that the basis of success in farming, as in anything else, is intensive and scientific training.—Vancouver Sun.

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Pacific Port Benefits Farmers

Alberta Growers To Receive Price For Wheat On Vancouver Basis

For the first time since the western route via Vancouver became operative for Alberta wheat shipments farmers are to receive this year a price based on the Vancouver basis instead of that of Fort William, which has been the basis of payment for years. The wheat pool officials have announced that the initial payment this season will be \$1.00 per bushel on the Vancouver basis, which means that the farmers will gain the advantage of the lesser freight charge.

An Oil Without Alcohol—Some oils and many medicines have alcohol as a prominent ingredient. A judicious mingling of six essential oils compose Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, and there is no alcohol in it, so that its effects are lasting.

Smuggled Diamonds

Alleged That Precious Stones From Russia Are Smuggled Into United States

The Russian newspaper Rul, printed in Berlin, publishes the statement that Soviet Ambassador Krestinsky is handling the sale of the 330 pounds of diamonds confiscated by the Soviet Government, which are being sold through agents in Paris, New York and London. It is stated a large number of diamonds are being smuggled into the United States through Canada by women employees. According to the Russian newspaper the diamonds are held in the Kremlin in Moscow and are released only upon signatures of five members of the political bureau of the Communist party.

The quantity of diamonds in possession of the Soviet is so great that the Rul estimates it will require a decade to sell them unless they are sacrificed.

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The waste tissue which growing children are always throwing off is quickly renewed by Clark's Beans with Port. They're ready to serve and children like them.

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When To Start

Canada is going to send one of her official drummers to the West Indies to boost trade. D. H. Ross, of the Department of Trade and Commerce, leaves shortly for a scouting trip, to be followed later by the negotiation of a trade treaty. But such arrangements are only starters. Canada's position in the export business will finally depend on good goods at the right prices, and good service to boot.—Border Cities Star.

To Speed Air Service

British Lines Plan Half-Hour Service To Paris

An airplane to and from Paris every half-hour, for passengers and freight, is included in the programme of development which the British air lines have drawn up for the future. Traffic by air the past summer was greater by far than ever before, both on the continent and between the continent and England. Those who are operating the air services expected continued development. The British lines have several 16-seater planes under construction at present.

Americans, though they have few commercial air routes of their own, continue to be the best patrons of the European services.

A cafe to seat 800 was recently built and opened ready for business at the British Empire Exhibition in twenty-two days.

Bamboo writing pens have been used for more than a thousand years in India and are still in high favor.

If Miller's Worm Powders needed the support of testimonials they could be got from mothers who know the great virtue of this excellent medicine. But the powders will speak for themselves and in such a way that there can be no question of them. They act speedily and thoroughly, and the child whom they are administered will show improvement from the first dose.

Alone of all feathered creatures, penguins walk about upright on land, as man does.

For Corns and Warts—Minard's Liniment

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

OCTOBER 26

THE STILLING OF THE STORM

Golden Text: Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?

Mark 4:41. Lesson: Mark 4:35-41. Devotional Reading: Psalm 107:23-32.

The Text Explained and Illumined. The Storm, verses 35-37. On the day of which Jesus had spoken many parables he said to his disciples at evening, "Let us go over unto the other side." And they obeyed, taking Him with them, "even as He was," in the boat. What an insight into the humanness of Jesus does that little phrase—even as He was—give us! The day had been severe in its demands upon His physical strength, and he was tired out. This same boat had been his pulpit (last lesson), and when His discourse was ended, overcome by weariness, He sank back in the stern and fell asleep. He needed rest as do we. These illusions in the Gospels to Christ's weariness, need of sleep or of food, are certain proofs of his perfect humanity. "What strikes us here is that He had learned to rest." Let us use the language of today. No sooner was his work done, than he composed himself to sleep, and as comfortably as possibly He used the cushion as his pillow. Some people break down because they have never learned to relax. Their work done, they cannot rest. Their minds are still busy. If we are to work to the full, we must learn to drop the yoke swiftly and to rest with both mind and body. Jesus is an example in this also" (R. C. Gilie).

Suddenly there arose a great wind storm, and the waves came into the boat so that it began to fill. There have always been sudden and violent storms on the Sea of Galilee. For explanation see The Geographical Background.

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SECOND TRAIN leave Winnipeg, 10 a.m., December 5, for sailing of S.S. Andania, on December 8, to Plymouth, Cherbourg and London, and S.S. Saturnia, on December 8, to Glasgow.

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S.S. United States, December 4, Halifax to Christian-sand, Copenhagen, Copenhagen.

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S.S. Stockholm, December 4, from Halifax to Gothenburg.

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Public Meetings

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SIBBALD, on October 30th, at 2.30 p.m.

OYEN on October 30th, at 8 p.m.

CEREAL on October 31st, at 2.30 p.m.

YOUNGSTOWN on October 31st, at 8 p.m.

SPEAKERS

Hon. John E. Brownlee, Attorney General of Alberta

Hon. R. G. Reid, Prov. Treasurer of Alberta

Lorne Proudfoot, M.L.A. for Acadia

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CHINOOK, ALBERTA

Mrs. Elliott, wife of Rev. Geo. Elliott, of Irma, a former minister of Chinook, was taken to a hospital in Edmonton recently suffering from pains in her head. Mr. Elliott accompanied her, and from last reports her condition was somewhat improved. Mrs. Elliott's mother arrived later from Winnipeg to be with her daughter.—Calgary Herald.

Friday night of last week, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Irvine, of 310-20th Ave. W., Calgary, entertained the out of town pupils of Central High School. Among those present were Messrs. Faye Robinson and Lola Youngren of Chinook.

Our slogan is "Wear a Poppy on Armistice Day."

VILLAGE OF CHINOOK

By-Law No. 23

Being a By-law to prevent the emptying and hauling away of contents of septic tanks and cesspools between the hours of 6 a.m. and 10 p.m. in the Village of Chinook.

1. It will not be lawful within the Village of Chinook to empty or draw away the contents of any septic tank or cesspool between the hours of 6 a.m. and 10 p.m.

2. In the event of any person violating this By-law and upon conviction before a Justice of the Peace, the guilty person shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Fifty Dollars (\$50.00).

Done and passed in the Council Assembled this 16th day of October 1924

ROBERT DOBSON, Reeve.
A. McALISTER, Sec.-Treas.

THE LAND TITLES ACT MORTGAGE SALE OF FARM PROPERTIES

Pursuant to the directions of the Registrar and by virtue of the Powers of Sale provided by "The Land Titles Act" under 2 certain mortgages which will be produced at the time of the sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction at the Acadia Hotel in the Village of Chinook in the Province of Alberta, on Saturday the 1st day of November 1924, at the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon, the following properties, namely:

PARCEL 1. The South West Quarter of Section 22, in Township 28 Range 7, West of the Fourth Meridian in Alberta.

PARCEL 2. The South Half of Section 15, in Township 31, and Range 7, West of the Fourth Meridian in Alberta; Reserving out of each parcel unto the Crown all mines and minerals.

Terms of sale to be Twenty per cent cash at the time of the sale and the balance according to the terms and conditions to be made known at the time of sale or upon application to the vendor's solicitors. Parcel 1, will be offered for sale separately. Immediately thereafter and whether the auction of Parcel 1, shall have been successful or not, Parcel 2 will be offered for sale separately.

Each property will be offered for sale subject to a sealed reserved bid and free from all encumbrances, save taxes for the current year. The sale of Parcel 1, will be subject to a Share-Crop Lease expiring 31st December 1925, but purporting to be terminable by notice between 1st January and 1st March 1925. The sale of parcel 2, will be subject to a Share-Crop Lease expiring 31st December 1924.

The vendor is informed that Parcel 1, is situated about 3½ miles South East from the Village of Chinook and Parcel 2, about 15 miles North from Chinook, and that as to: Parcel 1, There are situated thereon about 3½ mile fencing but no buildings; and about 60 acres are under cultivation. Parcel 2: There is situated thereon a dwelling about 20 ft. by 24 ft., with addition 10 ft. by 12 ft., a granary 14 ft. by 28 ft., a stable and a garage, also well and some fencing and that about 30 acres are under cultivation.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to:

L. E. Ormond,

Barrister, Chinook, Alberta.

DATED this 15th day of September A.D. 1924.

Approved

W. Farbes

Registrar.

NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHNATHAN WHALEY, late of Chinook, in the Province of Alberta, Farmer, Deceased.

ALL CLAIMS against the above Estate must be sent to the undersigned at the Town of Virden, in the Province of Manitoba, on or before the 17th day of November, A.D. 1924.

CHALMERS & BRAYFIELD, Solicitors for The National Trust Company, Limited, Administrators with Will annexed.

Meeting of Village Council

The regular meeting of the Chinook Village Council was held last Thursday in the town hall. Mr. R. Dobson was in the chair, and after the adoption of the minutes of the previous meeting and the passing for payment of a number of accounts, several important matters were discussed and dealt with.

The protecting of property on Halloween was a part of the business discussed, and it was decided that any one found guilty of willfully destroying property on Halloween would be brought up before a Justice of the Peace and fined.

A By-Law was passed preventing any person emptying a septic tank or cesspool between the hours of 6 a.m. and 10 p.m.

Wong Chow was granted a licence to run a restaurant on the west side of Main Street.

A motion was passed asking the editor of the local paper to warn the residents in regard to fire prevention.

Has Charge of New Course

W. J. Elliott, former principal of Claresholm Agricultural School and latterly with the livestock branch of the United Grain Growers, has been appointed by the provincial department of agriculture to take charge of the training of the British boys who will come to Alberta for special courses in practical agriculture at the Vermilion School of Agriculture. Under this plan which was evolved by Hon. Geo. Hoadley, Minister of Agriculture, in conjunction with the British Overseas Settlement Board, young men of from 18 to 25 years of age will be brought to Alberta for special training in agriculture before going on the land. There are now fifty of these young men on the way to Alberta to take this course, they having sailed last week. More will follow.

Be loyal to your community.

THE LAND TITLES ACT MORTGAGE SALE OF FARM PROPERTY

Pursuant to the directions of the Registrar and by virtue of the Powers of Sale provided by "The Land Titles Act" under a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of the sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction at the Acadia Hotel in the Village of Chinook in the Province of Alberta, on Saturday the 1st day of November 1924, at the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon, the following property, namely:

The North West Quarter of Section Thirty-two (32) in Township Twenty-seven (27) and Range Seven (7) West of the Fourth Meridian in Alberta, reserving unto His Majesty all mines and minerals.

Terms of sale to be Twenty per cent cash at the time of the sale and the balance according to the terms and conditions to be made known at the time of the sale or upon application to the vendor's solicitors.

The above property will be offered for sale subject to a sealed reserved bid and free from all encumbrances, save a Share-Crop-Rent Lease expiring 31st December 1924, and taxes for the current year.

The vendor is informed that the above property is situated about 8 miles from Chinook on the C. N. R., there are situated thereon a 1½ storey shingled roofed dwelling 12 ft. by 24 ft. with addition 10 ft. by 16 ft. a granary 16 ft. by 26 ft., stable 16 ft. by 30 ft. with additions 8 ft. by 16 ft. and 12 ft. by 12 ft., also some fencing and a good well and that about 150 acres are under cultivation.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to

L. E. Ormond,

Barrister,

Chinook, Alberta.

Dated this 27th day of August A.D. 1924.

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W. Farbes,

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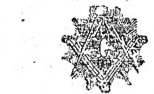
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